THE DAILY TIMES.

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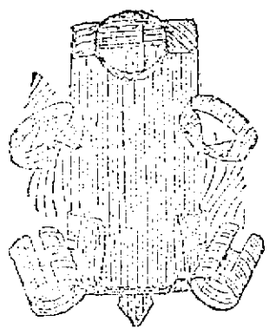
Why Swelter This Hot Weather.

When you can make yourself more comfortable by getting into some of our light weight clothing. Glance over this ad, then come and see goods and prices,



Light, thin coats	25c and 50c
Black alpacca coats, extra value	$1.50 to $2.50
Black serge coats and coats and vests	$4.50, $5. and $6.00
Men's linen suits	$5.00 and $6.00
Men's linen pants	$1.50
Men's coats and vests, former price $4.00 and $5.00, now	$2 50

Men's Negligee Shirts.

Negligee shirts, laundered and soft	$ 50
Negligee shirts, extra good values	75
Negligee shirts, attached and detached collars	1 00

Straw Hats.

Men's straw hats	25c to $2 50
Boys' straw hats	10c to 1 00
Children's straw sailors	25c to 75

Children's Duck Suits.

Duck suits, ages 3 to 9	50c to $1 25
Duck pants, ages 3 to 8	18c to 50
Childs waists and blouses	25c to 1 00

Full Lines. Extra Values in Men's Underwear, 25c, 38c, 50c, 75c and $1.00.

GOOD GOODS AT LOW PRICES. **Weer Bros** 307 & 309 CHILLICOTHE STREET.

Hot Weather Pointers

—AT—

Miss Kate Miller's.

Fine quality baby caps reduced to 25c, 20c, 15c and 10c.

Fancy fringed and knotted towles 10c to 50c a pair.

Golden draperies 12½c a yard.

Swiss embroideries 10c, 15c and 20c a yard.

Remnants of embroideries, laces, calicoes etc.

All kinds of hot weather goods at unheard of low prices.

Miss Kate Miller

709 Chillicothe St.

Baking Powder,

An Extra Good Quality

5c Pound.

Put Up in 1 Pound Cans.

J. A. Wilhelm,

Cor. Eighth & Chillicothe.

The Only Drug Store In the City

Giving a free ticket to the Her, Burke & DeWitt circus with every fifty cents' worth or over purchased at our store.

Pink Powder

Positively kills ants. Try it.

Wurster Bros.,

Druggists, Second and Court

Go to the Circus Free.

With each pair of shoes bought of us from now on and until the the 300 tickets will be gone, we will present our customers free with a ticket to the

Burke and DeWitt's Big Consolidated Circus.

The performances to be given on the afternoons and evenings of July 13 and 14. Every pair of shoes on this sale will be sold for much less than any other store in this town.

Daring Prices and Glaring Values.

Men's Vici Kid Green Welt Shoes, made by Excelsior Shoe Co., worth $5.00, now	$2 95
Men's Tan Patent Leather, Excelsior make, worth $6 00, now	3 25
Men's Goodyear Welt Kangaroo Shoes, worth $4.00, now	2 45
Ladies' Ox-blood Lace shoes, coin toe, our usual cheap price $2.99, they are worth in all other stores $4.50, for this clearance sale	$2 00
Ladies' Ox-blood Vici Kid, lace or button, coin or razor toe, our usual cheap price $2.74, they are worth at all other stores $4.00, for this clearance sale	1 85
Ladies' Chocolate shoes, button or lace, coin toe, our usual price $1.99, they would ask at other stores $3.00, this sale	1 25
Ladies' Oxfords and Sandals in black, tan and ox-blood, for 75c, 80c, 85c, 90c, 95c, $1.00 and $1.24, are worth more than double.	
Men's shoes, made by the Excelsior, in ox-blood, Russia calf, and coin or razor toe, every pair worth $3.50, our clearance price	2 00
Men's shoes for 99c, $1.09, $1.19, $1.24, $1.39, $149, are worth $1.50, $2.00, $2.25, $2.50, $3.00 and $3.25.	
Men's lawn tennis shoes, worth 75c, clearance price	49
Men's bicycle shoes, worth $2.00, our clearance price	1 24
Child's spring heel chocolate, ox-blood and black, sizes 5 to 8, clearance price	59
Ladies' leather sandals, worth $1.50, clearance sale price	85
Boys' shoes sizes 10 to 2, cloth top, Excelsior make, worth $1.50, clearance price	97

THE SAMPLE SHOE CO.

Our store is open until 9 p. m. standard.

517 Chillicothe Street. Mail orders carefully attended to. Opposite Post Office

IN ALASKA,

Prospectors Discovered a Lake of Pure Oil,

Fed from Springs—The Greatest Discovery of the Age—Women Forced to Work the Streets in Kansas in Male Attire—A Los Angeles Millionaire Suicides—Other News.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Seattle, Wash., July 13. — Gold prospectors in Alaska have made the greatest discovery of the age. It is a lake of oil fed by springs. The surrounding mountains are full of coal. Samples tested show that the oil is equal to the best from Pennsylvania wells.

ON THE STREETS

Women Prisoners Are Now Put to Work in Kansas, Mo., Dressed Like Men.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Kansas City, Mo., July 13.—The police department today began putting women prisoners to breaking stone in the streets. They dress them in coarse overalls like the men, with no skirts to impede their work. Chief Quarels says that if the women prisoners are kept in idleness they rather like imprisonment.

Millionaire Suicides.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Los Angeles, Cal., July 13.—Chas. O. Creede, a millionaire, committed suicide last night with morphine because his wife, from whom he had separated, insisted on the resumption of their maritial relation.

ALL OUT NOW

Last Eastern Ohio Mine to Join the Strike Quits.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Bellaire, O., July 13.—Miners at Schick's mines, one mile west of here, were induced to quit work today. All the mines in Eastern Ohio are now closed. An attempt to import miners will produce trouble.

KENTUCKY'S NATIONAL DEMOCRATS

Officers of the State Convention Which Meets Tomorrow.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Louisville, Ky., July 13.—The state convention of National Democrats meets at 2 p. m tomorrow. J. C. Sims, of Bowling Green, will be temporary chairman and J. G. Carlisle permanent chairman. John K. Hendrick, of Livingstone county, hitherto regarded as a live Democrat, has been elected delegate, and it is said will serve. The question of fusion with the Republicans will come up.

National Republican League.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Detroit, July 13.—The tenth annual convention of the National League of Republican clubs met today. Governor Pingree delivered an address of welcome on behalf of the state. President Dingley, of the Michigan league, also made an address of welcome. After these, President Woodmansee delivered his address.

THEY WON'T ARBITRATE

100,000 Engineers Will Be on a Strike Tonight.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

London, July 13.—A great strike of engineers began this morning. Both masters and men refuse all offers of arbitration. By night a hundred thousand men will be idle.

Invited the Confederates.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Atlanta, Ga., July 13.—Gen. John B. Gordon has issued an address to the United Confederate Veterans, conveying an invitation from the Logan Monument association to attend the unveiling of the Logan monument at Chicago, July 22d.

Want to Beat the Tariff Bill.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Atlanta, Ga., July 13.—The Journal's Washingtion correspondent says that Southern Democrats in the senate are combining to defeat the tariff bill when it comes back, on account of the conferees having taken cotton ties off the free list.

Rich Man Dies.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Chicago, Ill., July 13.—Columbus R. Cummings died last night. His estate is estimated as worth ten millions.

Brokers Assign.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

New York, July 13.—Decker Howell & Co., one of the largest brokerage houses in the city, assigned today. Liabilities not stated.

Markets.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Chicago, Ill., July 13.—Hogs, fairly active, $3.10, $3.55; cattle, dull; beeves, $3.75, $5.00.

Wheat, 71⅜; corn, 25⅞; oats, 17⅜.

Toledo.—Wheat, 73.

MR. TOWNE'S SUGGESTION.

Says the Silver Republicans Will Vote With the Party Favoring Silver.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Washington, D. C., July 13.—Chairman Towne, of the silver Republicans' organization, has sent a telegram to the chairman in Ohio, advising against putting separate state tickets in the field. Towne says the silver Republicans of Ohio will support the party favoring silver.

A BIG LIST

Of Lieutenant Colonels Will Be Made Colonels in the Regular Army.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Washington, D. C., July 13.—The following nominations were made today:

Lieutenant Colonels to be Colonels—Guy V. Henry, Third Cavalry; L. H. Carpenter, Seventh; Samuel B. M. Young, Fourth, John M. Bacon, First.

Majors to be Lieutenant Colonels—A. R. Chaffee, Ninth Cavalry; Michael Cooney, Fourth; James Jackson, Second; L. T. Morris, Third.

Captains to be Majors—W. C. Forbus, Fifth Cavalry; J. A. Augur, Fifth; William A. Thompson, Fourth; J. S. Loud, Ninth.

NEARLY 12,000 STRANGERS

Visited San Francisco During the C. E. Convention—Where They Were From

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

San Francisco, Cal., July 13.—Reports of the registration of Christian Endeavor delegates show 12,694 from California and 11,224 from other place. Illinois was next to California, having 1,083; Iowa third, then Pennsylvania, Ohio, New York, Missouri and Massachusetts. From outside the state there were 7,477 women and 3,747 men.

Everything Delayed Awhile.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Washington, D. C., July 13.—Secretary Bliss was unable to lay before the cabinet today the order to revoke President Cleveland's order reducing the pension agencies. Along list of consular appointments was delayed also to further consider some of the appointments. In deference to the opinion of others, the President will delay the currency reform message.

IN THE COUNTRY

Frank Legler Had a Big Time With the Rain Sunday Afternoon—Why He Went to Bed at 4 O'clock.

Frank Legler spent Sunday with his family, who are visiting in Kentucky, almost opposite the mouth of Pine creek. Sunday afternoon he secured a boat and started across the Ohio to pay a visit to "Banty" Neudorfer, Dan Daehler, et al., who are camping near Pine Creek. About midway in the river he was overtaken by the storm and had a desperate time getting safely to shore. After the storm Legler succeeded in getting back to his friend's residence, very wet and somewhat dilapidated. Legler's clothes were wet and his host was a might small man. So there was nothing for him to do but don a night shirt and go to bed at four o'clock and stay there until the next morning, when his clothes had dried sufficiently to admit of his wearing them. Legler came back to Portsmouth yesterday, but he didn't visit the fishing camp.

BIG GUNS

Of the Norfolk and Western Pass Over the Road on a Special Today.

A special train bearing a number of the officials of the road passed over the N. & W. today at noon, running as second section to No. 8. On the train were Vice President J. M. Barr, General Superintendent L. E. Johnson and other lesser lights, including Supt Robinson. The party went to Columbus yesterday afternoon, spending the night in taht city. This was the first trip of the new general superintendent, Mr. Johnson, over the line.

Gone to the Infirmary.

Poor, old Wm. Zornes, one of the oldest blacksmiths in the city, and his wife were taken to the county infirmary yesterday. They are both so feeble that they cannot wait on themselves, and it was necessary for the superintendent of the infirmary to appoint a nurse for them.

Booming at South Webster.

The South Webster Fire Brick company is running double turn, with orders ahead to keep them busy for almost one year. They had to refuse a large Baltimore order a few days ago.

Grand Lodge Meeting.

The Grand Lodge of the Ladies' Silver Leaf Court of Calantha, an organization of colored ladies, auxiliary to the K. of P., will meet in this city Monday for a four days' session.

Rushing Empties East.

The N. & W. is still rushing cars to the West Virginia coal fields. Last night a train with seventy "gons" went east and another with about the same number followed today.

LEAGUE OF CLUBS.

Young Republicans Meet In National Convention.

MR. WOODMANSEE'S SUGGESTION.

In His Speech to the Delegates the President Advises That the National and State Associations Have Their Annual Meetings Simultaneously, and Lincoln's Birthday Would Be the Proper Time.

Detroit, July 13.—All fears of light attendance at the tenth convention of the National League of Republican Clubs were dispelled by the arrival of big delegations from all directions. According to the registration there are already 1,000 delegates on hand besides many other visitors. The only states which will not be represented are South Carolina, Florida, Washington, Oregon and New Mexico.

The preliminary function of the convention took place in the Hotel Cadillac in the way of a reception. The receiving party consisted of the president of the league, D. D. Woodmansee of Cincinnati; Governor Pingree, President E. N. Dingley of the Michigan league, Secretary M. J. Dowling of the national league, and Colonel Henry M. Duffield, Colonel John Atkinson and James Stone of Detroit.

The only drawback to the gathering apparently will be the absence of noted statesmen now prominent in public life, most of whom are detained in Washington on account of the tariff bill situation. The presence of Senator Hanna at least was confidently anticipated, but it is doubtful whether he will appear. It is probable that Congressman McCleary of Minnesota who is to speak on Wednesday, will be the only member of congress to attend the convention.

The report of the league officers will be a cause of special gratification to the convention. It will show a surplus in the treasury as against $14,000 indebtedness two years ago, besides a $17,000 law suit brought against the organization by a New York publishing house, which was since won by the league by decision of the New York court of appeals.

John Bauer Better.

John H. Bauer, the storekeeper at the N. & W. shops, who has been sick for several days, is somewhat better today. Bauer has been threatened with an attack of fever. His friends hope to see him about in a few days. In the meantime, Assistant Storekeeper Burke is looking after his work.

To the Carter Caves.

Mr. Samuel Timmonds and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. F. Herms left this morning for the Carter caves in Kentucky. They will be joined by a party of Cincinnati people and will spend two weeks at that delightful resort. The Carter caves property is owned by Mr. Timmonds.

Masterson's Little Daughter.

Mrs. Wm. Masterson, whose husband was sent to the Cincinnati workhouse for failure to provide, gave birth to a little daughter at the infirmary Saturday. Masterson will probably dance for joy when he hears the news.

Mrs. Keppler's Condition.

Mrs. Keppler, the aged lady who was so badly hurt Sunday evening by falling on the stone step, is no better today. Her age will be against her recovery.

Best for Years.

The wheat from the infirmary farm has been threshed and the yield was 703½ bushels. This is the best for several years.

Epworth League Meeting.

The monthly meeting of the Epworth league of Bigelow M. E. church last night was well attended and the good musical and literary program well rendered.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER Absolutely Pure.

Celebrated for its great leavening strength and healthfulness. Assures the food against alum and all forms of adulteration common to the cheap brands. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

THE TIMES.

DAILY AND WEEKLY.

Readers of the TIMES will greatly oblige this office by giving prompt notice of irregular or late delivery; also persons who cannot buy the TIMES in this city or suburbs or in any place where a Portsmouth paper should be sold, will confer a favor by notifying this office at once.

THE TIMES PUBLISHING COMPANY.

No. 90 West Second Street.

Pay no subscription money to any collector for the Daily Times before he punches your blue receipt ticket.

The Times by Carrier

6c

PER WEEK.

By carrier, one year	$3 00
By carrier, four weeks	25
By carrier, one week	06
By carrier, daily	01
Semi-Weekly	$1 50
Semi-Weekly, if paid in advance	1 00

J. L. PATTERSON, Editor and Manager.

TIMES TELEPHONES.

Counting Room	2 on 33
Editorial Room	3 on 33

It is surely time for a Republican council to dismiss a policeman when he levies tribute from houses of ill-fame and the saloons in his ward. The present council has fastened upon itself lasting shame by reinstating a man notoriously incompetent and corrupt. We had supposed the gang had enough sins to answer for aside from the shameful attempt to sustain a man in a place for the protection of evil-doers, rather than a man who would restrain them. Gangism is odious. Why add to its odium?

The Tribune will not be responsible for debts made by its employes, unless they get an order from the office for their purchases. Bear this in mind; don't ask us to pay debts contracted for which no order has been issued. Any business man can see the reasonableness of this action.—Tribune.

The Times has paid up most of the debts contracted by its employes, but it has fired the employes that run in debt and refuse to pay. We will not keep on the Times any man who refuses to be honest and pay his debts. We advise the Tribune to hire honest men at wages sufficient for them to live.

The strike of the coal miners has brought to the public attention some important facts as to the effect of the Wilson tariff law upon this industry. The Wilson law, it will be remembered, reduced the rates of duty on coal 35 cents per ton, having been 75 cents per ton under the McKinley law and reduced to 40 cents per ton under the Wilson law. Curiously President Ratchford, of the United Mine Workers' association, states that the wages of the miners have been reduced about 30 cents per ton since 1863, the very year in which the free-trade congress met and began framing the Wilson act, which reduced duties 35 cents per ton. —Blade.

If the Wilson bill reduced the price of coal, why should it be necessary to strike to get it back, since the Dingley bill has restored the duty? The real truth of the matter is, that the Dingley bill destroys the Canadian market in the interest of Eastern mine owners. The Hocking Valley and Jackson district will be the sufferers from a retaliatory duty.

We are sorry the "morality and religions" editor of the Blade has delegated Taylor to do the following:

"The arithmetical freak who presides over the Times fake editorial column appears absolutely unable to tell the truth in any matter that involves figures. The Blade has shown him to be guilty of false statement to the extent of $150,000 in the matter of county expenses, yet, with the record right before him, he still peddles out the falsehood. The sheet is just as guilty of deliberate lying in another matter, a case where the proof is just as easily gotten. Friday night it stated that 'the Times has one-fourth more advertising than the Blade.' It was an easy matter to take the two papers and measure up. Why did not the editor do this instead of making such a palpably false statement? The Times that contained this falsehood contained but 566 inches of display advertising to the Blade's 584 inches. The editor is at his same old habit of counting things twice over. His advertising, his circulation and county expenses are all figured by the same rule."

The reason we are sorry Mr. Taylor was delegated to do this work is due to the fact that it, no doubt, caused him to give several twitches to that otherwise handsome mouth of his. We are ready to discuss the county matters in a fair manner with the editor of the Blade, but it surely is enough for the editor of the Times to deal with the editors of the four Republican pap-sucking papers in this county without having every penny-a-line reporter barking at his heels. Were we an editor of either of these papers we would stop such work, for it looks like the editor is getting badly spanked and the reporters assume to do what their respective editors are unable to do. If Mr. Taylor is hired as a fake reportorial editor, he surely fills his place well in furnishing Mr. Hard his figures. By this means Mr. Hard gets his information second hand, and his false representations lose the element of wilful falsehood. Thus his conscience is appeased and his reputation for "morality and religion" is kept intact—"in his mind." But let us give a little attention to the matter of advertising space. Mr. Talyor selects Friday's Blade to measure the space for very evident reasons. G. W. Anderson & Sons had 36 inches extra in that issue; Anderson Bros. had 40 inches extra; two other firms had 10 inches extra each, and a fake book concern, which is being run in all papers in a state of decay, had 60 inches, making in all 156 inches. Deducting this from his 584, it leaves 428 inches of regular advertising. Dividing this by 26 inches, the length of the Blade columns, we have less than SIXTEEN AND ONE-HALF COLUMNS. This is surely a humiliating condition to be placed in by the Times. When we first saw the Blade it was carrying TWENTY-SIX COLUMNS of advertising, two or three columns of local, about the same amount of editorial and five or six columns of plate. It made no contracts for less than a year, and all extra space was paid for at twenty-five cents an inch. Candidates, county, city and citizens were bled by its parasites. It was a gold mine to the managers. What a change has come! Today it has twice as much local, as much editorial, such as it is, more plate matter, and telegaphic news in its vain endeavors to keep abreast of the Times. Yet, with all this, it has several hundred fewer subscribers, ten fewer columns of advertising than it had a little over four years ago, and is now taking extra space at any price—yes, even giving it away, in its vain endeavors to make a show of being "in the swim." The old thing has the evidence of decay clinging to every column. The editor that gave it some tinge of originality and force has been cast overboard to save the sinking hulk, but everything gives evidence of an approaching collapse. The Republican party is without a newspaper in this city. The Grand Old Party has only three or four factional organs, or pap-suckers, that make life miserable for the gangsters and hold up the people at every turn. Bleed the school board, the council, the commissioners now, for it will not last always. The people are getting tired of paying three or four times for reaching the same people. The Times is the only reliable newspaper in Portsmouth, and ere this campaign is over the Blade will be convinced that it deals in facts. Will the Blade tell us why the treasurer of Scioto county received $2,500 more for 1895-6 than he did for 1893-4?

A Murder Mystery.

Atlanta, July 13.—Specials from Quitman, Brooks county, confirm the reported finding of a woman's body hacked to pieces and packed in a barrelrel which had been burried in a swamp. The discovery was made by a farmer named Jacob Wooten, of Mule Creek. The body was tumbled into a barrel and dirt packed around it, but is still in a remarkable state of preservation. No one has been missed from the community and it is the general opinion that it was either buried there several years ago or else brought there from some distance away.

Corporal McDonald Killed.

New York, July 13.—Lightning struck the state militia camp at Peekskills, setting the Y. M. C. A. tents on fire. An instant after the bolt descended the tent was down and in flames. Almost every man who had under the canvass was shocked by the lightning. Corporal J. J. McDonald, of Company A, Twenty-second regiment, N. Y. was dead. Nearly a dozen men were rendered unconscious. McDonald was taken from the ruins of the tent. Those who were knocked unconscious were revived.

Mrs. Bradbury Dismissed.

San Francisco, July 13.—When the case against Mrs. John Bradbury, of Los Angeles, charged with adultery, was called, the fair defendant did not appear in person. Her counsel explained that she was too ill to attend. Secretary Lane, on behalf of the society for the prevention of crime, requested that the case be dismissed as to Mrs. Bradbury, which was done.

Tragedy at Buenos Ayres.

Buenos Ayres, July 13.—Senor Julio Costa, formerly governor of the province of Buenos Ayres and Senor Mariano Panero, a member of the house of deputies, between whom there exists an old feud, met upon the street and drawing revolvers, began firing at each other. Both of the combatants were seriously wounded.

No Decision Given.

Philadelphia, July 13.—One of the fastest fights between lightweights ever seen in this city took place at the Arena between Young Griffo and Owen Zeigler. The bout lasted six rounds and although no decision was given Griffo seemed to have slightly the better of Zeigler.

Interesting Papers Read.

Toronto, July 13.—There were no section meetings of the conference on charities and correction, but the general session began at 9 a. m. Many interesting papers were read and warmly discussed.

Liver Ills

Like biliousness, dyspepsia, headache, constipation, sour stomach, indigestion are promptly cured by Hood's Pills. They do their work

Hood's Pills

easily and thoroughly. Best after dinner pills. 25 cents. All druggists. Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. The only Pill to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

NOT ACCEPTABLE.

President Barrios States the Conditions of the Confederation.

Managua, Nicaragua, July 13.—President Barrios of Guatemala has informed President Zelaya of Nicaragua in substance that the conditions on which Guatemala and Costa Rica will enter into a Central American confederation are that the first president of the confederacy, if organized, shall be President Iglesias of Costa Rica.

The capital for the first presidential term of five, six or more years, to be located in San Jose, in Costa Rica, and that the second president shall be President Barios of Guatemala, with the capital during his term at Guatemala city. These conditions will probably not be accepted.

BEZENAH WON.

Lively Fight Between Two Pugilists Before a Dayton Club.

Dayton, O., July 13.— Eugene Bezenah and Peter Lacey put up a good ten round fight before the Dayton Athletic club. Chub Ward was referee. Bezenaw drew blood from Lacey's right eye in the third round and after the fifth round Bezenah had the advantage, but with fierce fighting. At the end of the tenth round the referee decided the bout in favor of Bezenah.

Americans Did the Talking.

London, July 13.—An important conference was held at the foreign office between Senator Wolcott, former Vice President Stevenson and General Paine, the members of the United States bimetallic commission and Ambassador Hay and Lard Salisbury, Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, chancellor of the exchequer, Mr. Arthur Balfour, first lord of the treasury, and Lord George George Hamilton, secretary of state for India. The confernce, which lasted an hour, was preliminary to the carrying on of further negotiations on the subject of international bimetallism. The Americans did most of the talking.

Signed the Scale.

Pittsburg, July 13.—The following firms have signed the Amalgamated Association scale: Washington Steel and Tin Plate Co., Washington, Pa.; Hyde Park Steel Co., Hyde Park, Pa.; Licking Rolling Mill Co., Covington, Ky.; Mitchell & Treater Iron Co., Covington, Ky.; Atlantic Iron and Steel Co., Greenville, Pa.; and Weatherald Rolling Mill Co., Frankton, Ky.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, } ss.
LUCAS COUNTY. }

FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886

[SEAL] A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

There Is a Class of People

Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over one-fourth as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15 cents and 25 cents per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale at Fisher & Streich. Drug Store.

ONE OF TWO WAYS.

The bladder was created for one purpose, namely, a receptacle for the urine, and as such it is not liable to any form of disease except by one of two ways. The first way is from imperfect action of the kidneys. The second way is from careless local treatment of other diseases.

Chief Cause.

Unhealthy urine from unhealthy kidneys is the chief cause of bladder troubles. So the womb, like the bladder, was created for one purpose, and if not doctored too much is not liable to weakness or disease, except in rare cases. It is situated back of and very close to the bladder, therefore any pain, disease or inconvenience manifested in the kidneys, back, bladder or urinary passage is often, by mistake, attributed to female weakness or womb trouble of some sort. The error is easily made and may be as easily avoided. To find out correctly, set your urine aside for twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates kidney or bladder trouble. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney and bladder remedy is soon realized. If you need a medicine you should have the best. At druggists fifty cents and one dollar. You may have a sample bottle and a pamphlet, both sent free by mail. Mention The Times and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The proprietors of this paper guarantee the genuineness of this offer.

$100.

Dr. E. Detchon's Diuretic

Dr. E. Detchon's Anti Diuretic may be worth to you more than $100 if you have a child who soils bedding from incontenence of water during sleep. Cures old and young alike. It arrests the trouble at once. $1. Sold by Wurster Bros., Druggist, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Saturday, Monday, AND Tuesday, July 10, 12 and 13,

Will be your last chance to get a free ticket to the circus.

In order to place a free ticket to Iler, Burke and DeWitt's big circus within reach of every man, woman and child in and around Portsmouth, we propose to give one free to every customer purchasing fifty cents' worth of dry goods or a pair of shoes at our stores on Saturday, Monday and Tuesday, July 10, 12 and 13. The circus will be here July 13 and 14, at the old fair grounds, and will be a first class show in every particular. Take this opportunity and enjoy a good entertainment free of cost.

Connolley's Stores.

Spring Neckwear

In All the New Colorings.

Spring Hats

In all the New Styles and New Shades of Brown.

Everything Strictly Up to Date.

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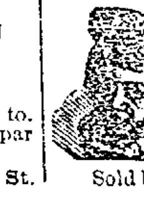

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A daughter of Mrs. Christina Beal, of Jonesport, Me., suffered greatly from female troubles. No doctor could help her. But Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy made her strong and well. It will make thousands of other women perfectly healthy if they will only try it.

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Men's madras cloth shirts worth 50c our price	45c

They are the coolest shirts you can wear this hot weather.

Men's balbriggan undershirts, best in the city for	25c
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40c balbriggan underwear extra quality	37½c
60c balbriggan underwear, extra quality	50c

Keep Your Feet Cool

Men's brown mixed socks, a hummer	5c
Men's brown socks, white heel and toe worth 10c, our price	8c
Fast black seamless half hose worth 10c our price	8c
Men's fast colors in black and tan worth 12½c, our price	10c
Men's fast colors in black imported half hose worth 15c, our price	12½c
Men's very fine quality Hermsdorf half hose, worth 35c at	25c
Men's Shawknit in gray mixed at	25c

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Some people advertise some wonderful values—You can find them—in the paper.

When we say the quality is first class it must be that way. Our reputation wont allow us to misrepresent or exaggerate. Just now we are placing very attractive prices on some pretty hats. If the storm on the Fourth ruined your hat, or you failed to get a becoming hat early in the season, come and see how well we can please you.

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You Share in the Profits.

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The Portsmouth Co-operative Grocery
Corner Ninth and Findlay Sts

FOUR PEOPLE

Will Get a Slice of the Padan Bros. Assets.

Preferred Creditors to Get Thirty Per Cent. of Their Claims—All Others Will Wait Five Years Or More With Chances of Getting Anything Then Doubtful.

Four of the preferred creditors of Padan Bros. will receive thirty per cent. of their claims within a few days. The general creditors may have to wait four, five, eight or ten years. This is the result of an agreement reached yesterday by the assignee and representatives of the general creditors. Assignee Grice reported that he has on hand $81,480.26. The total amount of the claims presented and approved is $232,331.81, of which $67,622.18 is preferred.

The general creditors question the claims of Mrs. Stevenson and Mrs. Padan, which are preferred, but concede that the other four are entitled to at least the same dividend as the general creditors will receive. The four and their claims are as follows:

Portsmouth National bank — $22,679.91.
Mrs. Caroline Gilbert—$6,346.76.
First National bank—$6,513.00.
Walter Padan—$4,091.00.

These four will get thirty per cent. of the amount above. After this payment is made it is estimated that if the litigation now pending continues five years and the preferred claims are all allowed, the entire fund will be exhausted. The preferred claims draw about $4,250.98 interest each year. If they are not allowed there will be enough on hand to pay a general dividend of 29.64 per cent. less the expenses of settling up the trust. The suits referred to will no doubt go to the supreme court and the average time required to get a case through that court is five years while it may run as long as ten years.

Parties interested predict that the preferred claims will all be allowed, in which event the general creditors will get nothing. If some of the preferences are rejected, general creditors will get a very small amount, while if all should be rejected, which is not at all probable, the dividend will be about thirty per cent., or just what the four fortunate ones named above will get soon.

SCHOOL CENSUS

Clerk Beatty, of the Board of Education Names the Enumerators.

Clerk T. C. Beatty, of the board of education, has appointed the following gentlemen to take the enumeration of school children:

First Ward—Isaac Boyers.
Second Ward—Willis Calhoun.
Third Ward—Wm. J. Emmett.
Fourth Ward—Ed. McGuire.
Fifth Ward—Wm. H. Ware, Sr.
Sixth Ward—Jas. Ryans.
Seventh Ward—Geo. W. Rhodes.

The enumerators were supplied with their books this morning and will go to work at once.

IN THE FACE

"Crummy Jack" Got a Fearful Smash With a Brick Yesterday Afternoon.

"Crummy Jack" Zorns is sporting a black eye today as the result of sudden and violent contact with a brick yesterday evening. The trouble happened at Lewis' livery stable. Zornes, who was feeling happy, attempted to run a coacher in the carriage shed. He bumped it against the door post and knocked off a lamp. One of the gentlemen connected with the stable jerked him away and told him to get out. Instead, Zornes went after a brick. The other fellow got it first and smashed Zornes in the eye, blacking it beautifully.

Bids Asked for.

The Portsmouth Trotting Association company will receive bids up to 12 o'clock, noon, Saturday, July 17th, 1897, for the following privileges: (1) Ice cream, (2) hokey-pokey, (3) cigars, tobacco and chewing gum, (4) candy, popcorn and nuts, (5) soft drinks, (6) kitchen and lunch counter, for and during the races on July 28th, 29th and 30th.

Fifty per cent. cash must be paid in advance; 50 per cent. must be paid at close of first day. Any person may bid on one or more privileges. The association reserves the right to reject any or all bids. The bids must be in writing and addressed to

JAMES SKELTON, Sec'y,
12-3t Portsmouth, Ohio.

A Bicycle Wrecked.

"Doc" Huston met with an accident at the corner of Second and Gay streets yesterday evening. He was riding on his bicycle when he collided with a carriage. His wheel was wrecked and he was badly shaken up.

Old People.

Old people who require medicine to regulate the bowels and kidneys will find the true remedy in Electric Bitters. This medicine does not stimulate and contains no whiskey nor other intoxicant but acts as a tonic and alterative. It acts mildly on the stomach and bowels, adding strength and giving tone to the organs, thereby aiding Nature in the performance of the functions. Electric Bitters, is an excellent appetizer and aids digestion. Old People find it just exactly what they need. Price fifty cents and $1.00 per bottle at Fisher & Streich's drug store.

"After suffering from dyspepsia for three years I decided to try Burdock Blood Bitters. Two bottles cured me entirely."—Mrs. G. C. White, Taberg, Oneida county, New York.

A DOG CLUB'S MEETINGS

Making Life Miserable for Gallia Street People—Trouble Ahead for the Canines.

An organization of dogs has made life miserable for Capt. N. W. Evans and his neighbors. The lawns in that vicinity are very inviting to canines, as well as human beings, and the former do not have that delicacy about accepting the invitation that the latter do. The East End Canine club has been holding meetings on the aforesaid lawns nightly. Their meetings remind the neighbors of a session of the city council. There is lots of noise and they never seem to accomplish their purpose, making adjourned meetings necessary and frequent. They have in addition killed all the pet cats in the neighborhood, and not long ago feasted on Geo. D. Selby's chickens. A pet fox was served to the guests on another occasion. The quiet and rest of the neighborhood is seriously interfered with, and the peace and dignity of the city disturbed. Formal complaint was made to the mayor this morning, and hereafter the convention is liable to be unceremoniously interrupted by guns. Somebody may lose a dog or two unless they are chained up at nights.

RIVER NEWS.

River 7 feet, 4 inches and stationary.

Stanley was up at 8 a. m.; Bonanza will be down at 6 p. m.; Keystone State will be up Thursday morning for Pittsburg.

A Collision.

An express wagon was coming down Second street yesterday afternoon. When in front of the United States express office a beer wagon attempted to turn around. The result was a collision. The horse attached to the beer wagon got its foot fastened in the front wheel of the express wagon, and but for the sudden stopping of the wagon the leg would have been broken.

Millinery reduced. All trimmed and untrimmed hats at one-half price. Sailors, ribbons and flowers one-third off. MARTING BROS. & CO.

A Big Market.

The market this morning at the Lower Market space was twice as large as at any time this season, a count showing thirty-five wagons. Corn, cabbage and berries were the main exhibits. Huckleberries and blackberries were plenty at five cents a quart.

PROPER FOOD.

And Not Drugs—The Common Sense Way.

The failure of ninety-nine men (and women) to do what they want, make money, earn a home or fortune, make a name for themselves, or attain whatever goal they aim at, is due to improper living.

Unnatural food and drink gradually undermine the stomach and the nervous system, and somewhere in the body the trouble shows, which drugs will not heal. It may be dyspepsia, constipation, heart trouble, kidney complaint or lung trouble, or it may show in bad blood, tumors, piles, weak eyes, loss of hearing and head troubles. All these and many more are caused by stomach and nervous disorder, and they cannot exist when stomach and nerves work properly.

Let us seek by natural living to be well and happy. Abuses of the body cannot be helped by medicines unless the abuses stop, and if that is done the person will get well quicker without drugs, in nine cases out of ten.

One of the greatest causes of disease of the present day is found in some things little suspected.

Coffee is one of these "polished villains."

People wonder, day after day, "what in the world makes me feel so?" knowing that the ill feelings slowly add up, until a sure day of reckoning comes in the shape of a spell of sickness, expensive to pocket and always a considerable push down the hill in more ways than one. Yet they don't seem to find where the trouble lies until they quit coffee and tea and go onto a plain diet.

Thousands are learning these facts, and it was to help such as find it about impossible to get on without coffee that careful experimenters worked nearly a twelvemonth to produce Postum Cereal Food Coffee, a beverage with the color, pungency and piquant flavor of coffee, but composed of the pure grains of the field (wheat, etc.) It can be used freely by adults and children, as it is simply the juices of the cereals and is a perfect food drink, while in taste and appearance it is coffee.

It is scientifically prepared by the Postum Cereal Co., Lim., of Battle Creek, Mich., and is not as strong and acrid as very strong and low-grade coffee, but ranks in flavor and color with the fine, mellow grades of the high-priced Mocha and Java, and creams to the clear golden brown so greatly liked by connoisseurs. A few days' use makes one very fond of the delicious, nourishing cup of Postum, and the old ill-feelings of body gradually disappear. Why? it is asked. Your chemist will tell you that it is now clearly shown by analysis that the same poisonous alkaloids exist in coffee as in morphine, whiskey, tobacco and strychnine, and the daily doses directly attack stomach, heart, liver and nerves. These facts make plain the reason for so many serious attacks on the body from a hitherto unsuspected quarter. It's the knife in the dark that kills, but science has thrown light on this subject and one can now have the satisfaction at least of knowing what it is that hurts.

There is but one genuine, original Postum Cereal Food Coffee, with a multitude of imitations offered as "just as good."

ARE NOT AGREED.

Difference Between House and Senate Conferees

ON WOOL AND SUGAR SCHEDULES.

Members Representing the Lower Branch of Congress Make a Stiff Fight For Their Original Rate on Wool, Claiming the Increase Would Be Oppressive Upon the Manufacturers.

Washington, July 13.—The committee on the tariff conference is meeting with its greatest difficulty in reaching an understanding on the wool and sugar schedules.

On sugar, Senators Aldrich and Jones, of Nevada, are holding out especially for the senate schedule and are supported by the entire senate representation.

The house is just as firm in their demand for the house rates. The indications when the conference adjourned were that a compromise would be necessary which would split the difference between the two houses on the differential on refined sugar, and it was stated that an agreement to this effect had been reached.

The house conferees are starting stiffly for the house schedule on wool, contending that the senate rates would be most oppressive upon manufacturers. The senate classification of their class wools is especially objectionable to the carpet manufacturers and Senators Penrose and Quay have been active during the day in their efforts to secure an advance to 12 cents in the value of wool that may be admitted at 4 cents.

The senate schedule makes 10 cents the figure of demarcation in value, fixing a duty of 7 cents a pound on all wool above that price. The Pennsylvania senators say under this classification 90 per cent. of the carpet wools would be made to pay 7 cents duty and that the result would be to close out many of the carpet makers.

There is a proposition to compromise the differences by retaining the senate classification but allowing a drawback on all wools which can be proven are used in carpet making on which 7 cents may be paid. The house is also standing for its rates on first and second class wools, which were reduced by the senate, with a good prospect of success.

A NEW VERSION.

An Ohio Pension Claimant Gets a Favorable Decision at Last.

Washington, July 13.—An important decision construing the rights of pension claimants in line of duty case was rendered by Assistant Secretary of the Interior Webster Davis. The issue is made in the case of Henry Miller, private in Co. K, 101st Ohio infantry.

After being relieved from guard duty one day Miller voluntarily assisted a teamster in watering mules, and while so occupied, was fired upon and injured.

The department heretofore has rejected such cases as not in the line of duty. Assistant Secretary Davis, however, reversed the pension bureau action, holds that the claimant was not disobeying orders nor violating army regulations but was aiding a comrade in protecting government property; was doing something which he not only had a right to do, but was commendable and so was acting in the line of duty. The adoption of this policy will affect many claims.

Scored by Morgan.

Washington, July 13.—A discussion of Union Pacific affairs occupied the attention of the senate. The deficiency appropriation bill was taken up early in the day and Mr. Morgan proposed an amendment designed to prevent the consummation of an agreement made some time since for the settlement of the government's claim against the road. Mr. Morgan spoke throughout the day, severely arraigning the Pacific railroad managers. Late in the day the entire subject was disposed of by the withdrawal of the paragraph to which Mr. Morgan had offered his amendment. The deficiency bill was not completed.

The Cabinet Meeting.

Washington, July 13.—At the cabinet meeting it is likely that in addition to the considerations to be given the currency message, the president's order, not only awaiting his signature, relative to the consolidation of pension agencies, will be brought up in some form. The Cleveland order reducing the agencies from eighteen to nine was to take effect September 1 next and in all probability, the cabinet will be definitely advised and consulted as to the document. The order as now framed will merely suspend the carrying of the consolidation order of the last administration, until further notice.

For a Breakwater.

Washington, July 13. — Senator White introduced a resolution in the senate directing the secretary of war to proceed to the construction of a breakwater at San Pedro, Cal. In presenting the resolution, Mr. White made a written statement reviewing the controversy between San Pedro and Santa Monica for the location of a deep water harbor.

Will Go to Chicago.

Washington, July 13.—Secretary Alger has consented that the Twenty-second infantry now at Fort Crook, Idaho, and the Seventeenth infantry, now at Columbus barracks, be ordered to Chicago, to participate in the Logan Day celebration on the 22nd, provided the citizens defray the railroad fare.

Death of Judge Curtis.

Sacramento, July 13.—Judge N. Green Curtix, one of California's oldest and most distinguished lawyers, died. He served three terms in the state sente.

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3½ Minutes

Lovers of Ice Cream can save time, money and back aches by using

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We guarantee them to freeze Cream in less than five minutes, if you have all the ingredients just right.

The saving in making Ice Cream at home will pay for a freezer in less than sixty days.

Come and see them.

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EXPERIMENTS

Often result in disappointment and this is especially the case in experiments with drugs and drug stores. It is our constant aim to prevent drug disappointments. We do all the experimenting. It is a part of our work to see that the drugs that go into your prescription are not only what your physician has named, but just what he expects in quality. Your prescription filled with our drugs will not be an experiment.

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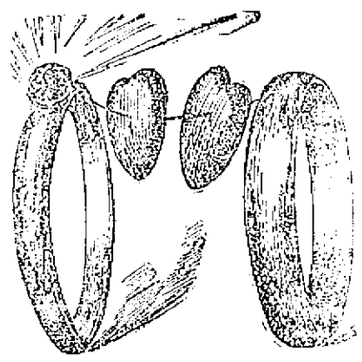

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We make a specialty of rings. Our stock comprises everything in the ring line. Beautiful set rings and the prettiest line of plain gold rings. Our prices will surely suit you. You may come in here with a little money and we will guarantee you satisfaction. Special bargains in watches, clocks and silverware; in fact, in everything you may want.

Repairing of watches and jewelry at the lowest prices. Our work is warranted.

Ed. Lee Feyler,
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Note the Following Prices

One pound good preserves	5c
One pound good Baking Powder	5c
One can Tomatoes	5c
One can Corn	5c
One can Peas	5c
One large Mackerel	5c
Two Holland Herring	5c
One dozen Sardells	5c
Three bars Toilet Soap	5c
All package Coffees, 2 for	25c

Also all kinds Cheese and Sausage and a full line of Vegetables received every morning.

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In the simplest, easiest, quickest manner, by getting your drugs and medicines from us. If you want a special remedy, prescribed by your doctor, you will be sure of getting just what the prescription calls for, and the best of it, when you get it here.

Amann's Pharmacies,
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Wright's Celery Tea regulates the liver and kidneys cures constipation and sick headache. 25c at all druggists.

We Are Proud

Of our success the past few months. We are bound to make this store a place of satisfaction. Our goods and prices must please you. Our success depends on it. This week special prices on men's negligee and percale shirts, underwear and half hose.

We make muslin underwear, children's dresses, aprons and all kinds of bonnets to order.

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The Misses Eaves,
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Estimates given cheerfully and all work promptly done.

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1 doz tin cups	50c
Mason jars per doz ..... 40, 45 and	60c
1 doz jelly glasses	25c
1 10c package cocoanut	5c
1 10c package corn starch	5c
1 lb good lemon crackers	5c
1 lb ginger snaps	5c
1 3 lb can table peaches	10c
1 3 lb can California pears	10c
1 3 lb can tomatoes	7c
1 bottle vanilla or lemon	5c
1 lb 60c tea for	40c
4 lbs pure leaf lard	25c
1 lb good baking powder	5c
12 bars Columbus soap	25c
1 sack Gold Medal flour	60c
1 sack Forest Rose flour	60c

Remember the place.

JOS. H. LANGE,
Cheap Corner Grocer, Gay and Gallia.

My Prices ON LUMBER

Will interest every man in Portsmouth who expects to build or repair houses.

Weather boarding from $8 to $13.
Flooring, pine and poplar from $15 to $35.
Shingles from $1.75 to $4
Turned columns for porches 75c to $1.25
Brackets and stair work, store fronts and interior finishing a specialty. Estimates given on all kinds of wood building at

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Come soon.

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82 W Third St., Portsmouth, O.

DON'T LOOK SHABBY!

There is no need of it. You can get your clothes cleaned and dyed at the

Portsmouth Steam Dye House,
H. HUELS. 71-73 West Third St.

AGREED

To Divide Their Household Goods and Live Apart.

A Break Between a Young Married Man and His Bride—The Mayor Helps Them Settle It—Young Goodpastor Faces the Mayor Charged with Assaulting His Mother.

With the assistance of the mayor, a West Second street couple yesterday divided their household effects and agreed to separate. They were married less than two years ago, but the honeymoon expired some time ago. The wife suspected that she did not possess the undivided affection of her hubby. Last Saturday evening she discovered positive evidences proving her suspicions true. She found her hubby with another woman, and right in their own yard, too. She called on the mayor and told her troubles to him. She finally concluded that the best thing she could do was to leave the false husband. The mayor directed the division of property and the young wife is again living with her parents. It is two to one that a divorce suit will be filed soon, although a reconciliation is possible.

Ed. Goodpastor, whose abuse of his mother was noted in Monday's Times, called at the mayor's office that evening and gave himself up. He said his mother had been drinking and was raising a disturbance with people outside, when he took hold of her and made her sit down. The mother called this morning and denied that Ed. had struck her, but says he struck at her. She feared the incident might operate against her husband's chances of securing a parole from the penitentiary. She expects him to be either pardoned or paroled by the board of pardons next Thursday.

A dealer in rags and iron from Jasper, named Halderman, who is old enough to know better, and a young lad named James Boyd were locked up by Policeman Atkins this afternoon. Boyd is the son of the postmaster at Jasper, and is about sixteen years of age. He accompanied Halderman to town this morning, the latter bringing a load of iron and rags. He bought several glasses of whisky for the boy, and the latter was staggering about the streets in the First ward very much intoxicated when the policeman nailed them. The boy was scared sober and said he was "just bluffin'." They were locked up and will be held until tomorrow.

FRAGMENTS

Oscar Trimmer rides at Chester park Saturday.

Miss Bertha Schwartz, of Gay street, has been sick for a few days past.

Home grown peaches were in the markets today, at 30 cents per peck.

Mrs. Harry Mick, of East Fourth street, is quite sick, the result of prostration from the heat of last week.

Miss Edna Davis will give a lawn party at the Davis place, six miles north of the city, tomorrow evening.

Mat Thompson, Emmitt McKeown and Clifford Salt went up the valley this morning, gunning for woodcock.

Peter Monaghan, of the water works force, was a victim of overheat Sunday and is compelled to lay off for a few days.

Jeff Bowers, who had his arm taken off on the N. & W. a few days ago, is improving slowly at the hospital. He will be out in a short time.

THE DIVORCE COURT

Will Be Called Upon to Untie a Couple Who Were Forced to Marry.

Will Kounz, a young man whose home is in Ashland, but who is now working for the Morford-Mechem company, of Columbus, was in the city over Sunday. Kounz, it will be remembered, had some trouble with a Portsmouth young lady about a year ago, a forced marriage being the sequel to the trouble. He and his wife have not lived together and little love was wasted between them. He came down to arrange matters relative to securing a divorce.

Gone to Columbus.

"Golly" Justice, Ben Ball and "Ike" Farley went up to Columbus on the N. & W. last night to spend a few days. They made the trip on a fast freight.

Will Build Two Stores.

Charles Terry will soon commence the erection of two five-room houses on the north side of East Fifth street, between Union and North Waller.

Mr. Ahrend Better.

Charles Ahrend, of the Eureka Hotel, who has been seriously sick for some weeks, is reported some better, but not yet out of danger.

New Delivery Wagon.

John Suter, local agent for the Hester Brewing company, of Columbus, was out today with a fine new delivery wagon. It is a beauty.

We want it understood that coal can be bought of us as cheap as any dealer will offer it—6½ cents per bushel for cash. J. M. STOCKHAM.

N. & W. Passenger Late.

N. & W. passenger train No. 3, due here at 5:15, was an hour late this morning. The delay was caused by trouble on the Pocahontas division of the road.

Money to Loan.

Two thousand and one thousand dollars on city real estate.
HOLCOMB & FINNEY, Att'y's.

Watch for Eisman's Big Ad. Wednesday.

PERSONAL.

Dr. Marshall, of Columbus, is in the city.

J. D. Craig, of Blue Run, is in the city today.

H. O. Lantz, of Harrisonville, was in town today.

W. H. Mittendorf, of South Webster, is in the city today.

Peter Brown, of Rushtown, is in the city today.

Mrs. Dr. E. M. Semans left on the N. & W. this morning for Delaware.

B. F. Richardson went to Columbus today on business.

Col. Floyd L. Smith was in Columbus yesterday on business.

A. J. Fuller went to Mineral Springs, Adams county, today on business.

John B. Jones, a merchant of Mineral Springs, was in the city today.

John L. Clark, a merchant of Vanceburg, Ky., was in the city yesterday.

Sam Harper left this morning for a visit with friends at Washington C. H.

Mrs. O. B. Taylor and children went to Madison, O., today to visit friends.

B. Augustin and wife will spend a few days at Adams County Mineral Springs.

T. B. Lawson, of East Second street, left this morning for Middleport on a business trip.

Mrs. Belle Grice, of California, is the guest of her brother, R. W. Chapman, of Gallia street.

Mrs. Will Burt, of East Second street, has returned from a visit with relatives in Waverly.

Peter H. Murray and daughter are spending the summer at the Osborn place, in Wheelersburg.

Receiver David Armstrong, of the Farmers' National bank, came down from Jackson this morning.

Mrs. James Adams, her sister, Miss Belle Cummins, and Miss Julia Hall, leave today for Louisa, Ky., to spend a few weeks.

Misses Lou and Emma Yeager left on the B. & O. S.-W. this morning for Atlantic City, where they expect to spend a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eskew returned from Chillicothe yesterday, where they have been the guests of friends for several days.

John Havekotte and wife, of Tampa, Texas, left for their home this morning after a six weeks' visit with Mr. Havekotte's parents here.

WILL TRY AGAIN

Boys of Company H Now Arranging to Go to Nashville August Seventh.

The soldier boys of Company H are once more rejoicing over the prospect of being able to spend a few days in camp at the Nashville exposition. The latest information is to the effect that they will leave for Nashville, August 7th, for a ten days' stay. The company will leave Portsmouth at midnight of August 7th on a special train on the C., P. & V. They will join the regiment at Cincinnati and will at once pull out on a special for Nashville. The boys will thus make the trip through the famous Blue Grass region in the day time and reach Nashville about six or seven o'clock in the evening. Information from headquarters is that the trip is a sure go this time, unless some trouble in the mining regions would necessitate the calling out of the troops.

Won't Drink Water Anymore.

City Clerk Adams is on deck again after a few days' illness. During a lull in the council proceedings last Friday night, he gulped down a cup of ice water. He began feeling badly immediately, and as a result has spent a few days in bed under the care of a physician.

A Fractious Horse.

Yesterday evening while H. Weghorst, the groceryman at the corner of Tenth and Chillicothe streets, was unhitching his horse from the delivery wagon, the animal frightened and ran off. It was caught in the yard of the boarding-house of Mrs. Stir, on Chillicothe street. No damage.

Home for Aged Women.

The regular monthly meeting of the board of managers will be held at the Home, corner of Front and Chillicothe streets, at 2 o'clock tomorrow, (Wednesday) July 14th.
CLAY B. NEWMAN, Sec'y.

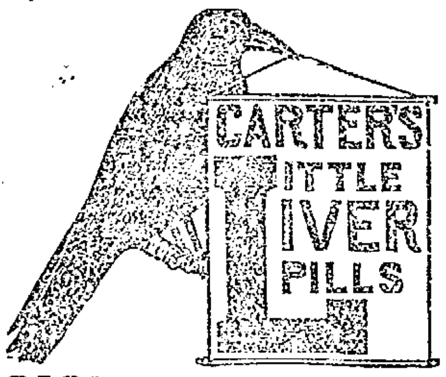
Fifty cent shirt waists for 35 cents; 75 cent shirt waists for 50 cents; $1.00 shirt waists for 75 cents; $1.25 shirt waists for 95 cents.
MARTING BROS. & CO.

The C. P. & V. Is Busy.

The C., P. & V. is kept busy handling coal transferred from the N. & W. Eighty cars consigned to Cincinnati were received yesterday and as many more received today. The coal is from the West Virginia fields.

Finest line of rockers in the city, at lowest prices, at J. B. Nichols, Jr., & Bro.'s.

Even in the most severe cases of sprain or bruise, cut or burn, Thomas' Electric Oil gives almost instant relief. It is the ideal family linament.



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Positively cured by these Little Pills.

They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They Regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

Small Pill. Small Dose. Small Price.

July Bargains.

1 doz fresh eggs	10c
3lb good butter crackers	10c
3 lbs good roasted coffee	25c
1 pkg good coffee	10c and...12½c
1 lb Mocha and Java coffee	20c
1lb 40c tea	20c
1 lb 60c Y. H. tea, none better	35c
1lb C sugar	4c
1lb white sugar	5c
1lb lard or bacon	5c
1 sack flour	40, 50 and... 60c
1 10c package cocoanut	5c
1 10c package corn starch	5c
1 doz good corn	15c
2 boxes bag blue	5c
3 lbs best starch	10c
5 bars Star soap and 5 bars Acorn soap	25c
4 cans good tomatoes	25c

And a circus ticket free with every 50 cents' worth of groceries, sugar excepted.

J. J. Brushart,
The Leading Cash Grocer.

A Good Baker —AND— Quick Cook

seldom has trouble to procure a good situation. They are always in demand. An extra good range, such as we handle, ought to be able to get a permanent position in your kitchen, because they are "quick bakers and superior cookers."

Active Peninsular Ranges

occupy an exclusive position in the field of ranges. There is none like them in appearance or durability. 'Twill be a pleasure to show you their good points.

F. A. GLOCKNER,
121 and 123 Gallia St.,

WANT COLUMN.

WANTED—An edge trimmer at Portsmouth Turn Shoe Co.

FOUND—Bicycle lamp. Call at 1012 Chillicothe street.

FOR RENT—House of six rooms. Inquire at 205 East Third street.

WANTED—A boy to scour heels at the Tremper Shoe Co.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping or one room for one or two gentlemen. Inquire at 137 West Sixth street.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply 231 Gallia street. 12 3t

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Inquire at 1428 Offnere street. 12 3t

WANTED—To buy a second hand ice box or chest to hold 200 or 300 lbs. of ice. Inquire at Central Savings Bank.

FOR SALE—My two story brick residence No. 300 Washington street between Third and Fourth streets. Cheap and terms reasonable. W. S. Meyer. 9 3t

FOR SALE—Cheap. One of the most valuable farms in the Ohio bottoms. Large residence, good tobacco barn and other improvements. Inquire of Central Savings Bank.

FOR SALE OR RENT—A two-story, five room house, with a large, new two-story stable, water in the kitchen, and every other convenience. Location, 234 Twelfth street. For particulars inquire of James George at M. B. Gilbert & Co. tf

FOR SALE—On easy terms or trade for city property, farm of 160 acres in Harrison township two miles east of Harrisonville. Fifteen acres of good orchard, good house and out buildings, good water. Address Angus, Frowine, 200 East Eleventh street Portsmouth, Ohio. Jun. 10-3m d-w

The Grand Clearance Sale

Still continues and will continue until all odd lots are closed out. At present we have a great many remnants of White Goods, Embroidery, Laces, Lawns, Organdies and Dimities, which are being closed out at about half price. These are all useful articles and are attracting a great deal of attention.

Clearance Sale of Shirt Waists.

One lot of Black and Whitt Shirt Waists in Dimity and Percale. To clean them up we offer them at 59c each.

One lot of one hundred Shirt Waists, an extra fine selection of dark shades and were sold at from $1.25 to $1.75, to clean up we offer them at 75c. sizes from 32 to 44.

One lot of about 36 Shirt Waists in light shades. These goods can't be duplicated anywhere in the land for the price. To cleam them up we offer them at 75c.

Ladies' Collars.

We have about 50 Linen Collars slightly soiled. As long as they last we will sell them at 7c, were 15c.

Clearance Sale of Dress Skirts.

One lot of Misses' Skirts in Checks and Fancy Brilliantines, sold at $1 50, to clean them up we offer them at 98c.

We still have a few of those $2 50 Fancy Lustre Skirts; to clean them up we offer them at $1.59.

Sweeping reductions on our better grades of Skirts. All marked way down as we only have 2 or 3 of a kind and would advise you to call and be fitted We assure you prices will suit you.

Jackets to Be Given Away.

A few Serge and Ladies' Cloth Suits on hand which we will clean up at the price a skirt would cost you. Come and be fitted.

Parisian Cloak and Novelty Co.,
75 West Second Street.

Low Prices MAKE
Pinching Times Easy to Bear.

Money may be hard for all of us to get. To make your income meet all your wants, spend wisely. Call at this store often and you will be surprised at our money savers.

Here's a Few.

15c buys wide satin sash ribbons that were 25c.

25c buys Taffeta Moire silk ribbons that were 35c.

30c buys the 45c kind of silk Taffeta and fancy ribbons.

Fine Organdies and Dimities for less money than any store in Portsmouth.

A Squeeze in Belt Prices.

15c for 25c leather belts.

25c for 35 and 45c leather belts.

19c for 25c white kid belts.

Shirt Waist WEATHER.

It may be the weather or price, possibly both—Choice new styles are going like hot cakes—No such reductions were ever made on such stylish waists. Think of it!

Beautiful waists at 35c, 50c, 75c and up.

L. & E. Yaeger,
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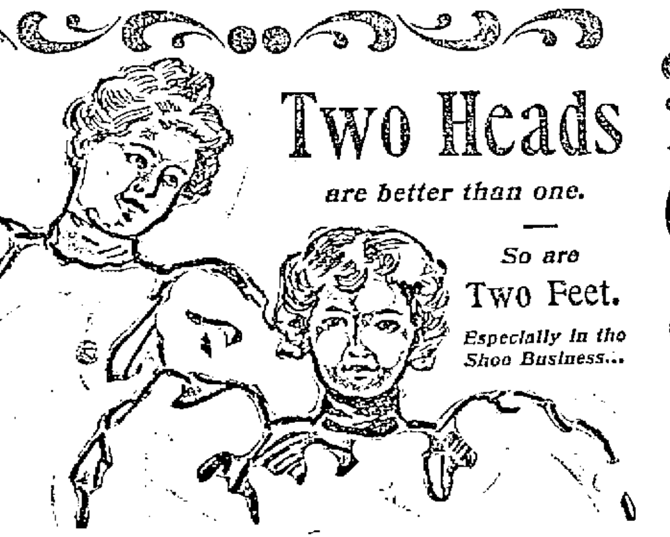
GEO. A. PHILLIPPI,
Fine Watch, Clock and Jewelry repairing and Diamond Setting. Wedding Rings made to order.
Opposite Connolley's Dry Goods Store.



Two Heads
are better than one.

So are Two Feet.
Especially in the Shoe Business...

YOU have two that you are interested in; we are also interested in them. When we say we can dress them better than any shoe house in town, for less money, it sounds like boasting, doesn't it? If, however, we *can* make good the claim, that is all you care about, isn't it? What's the use of saying a thing that isn't so; you always get found out.

In selling shoes we have found a straightforward policy of truth telling the best plan. No fireworks here. No bumcombe. No blow. But when it comes to selling fine shoes at prices which make all questionable methods unnecessary, then we are "at home" to you every day in the year

COME AND SEE US

122 *West Second St.* *Kendall Shoe Co.*

Hicks' Hot Wave Is Here.

The health and comfort of yourself and family must be protected. We have everything necessary to make your home as comfortable as a summer resort.

Quick Meal Gas Stoves, Quick Meal Gasoline Stoves, Oil Stoves, National Refrigerators, Ice Cream Freezers, Water Coolers.

A full Line of Wood and Iron Mantels, Tile Hearths. Get our prices before buying.

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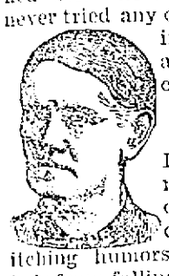
CLEAN DRUGS

Well Satisfied with Ayer's Hair Vigor.

"Nearly forty years ago, after some weeks of sickness, my hair turned gray. I began using Ayer's Hair Vigor, and was so well satisfied with the results that I have never tried any other kind of dressing. It requires only an occasional application of



AYER'S Hair Vigor to keep my hair of good color, to remove dandruff, to heal itching humors, and prevent the hair from falling out. I never hesitate to recommend Ayer's medicines to my friends."—Mrs. H. M. HAIGHT, Avoca, Nebr.

AYER'S Hair Vigor

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Take Ayer's Sarsaparilla for the Complexion.

Hot Weather

Has taken the life out of everybody, so much so that you don't want to even read. But this will cool you off, because there is a reduction on all light weight goods of every description. Be sure and take our advice.

Men's light coats.....$	25
Men's light coats and vests	1 00
Men's light coats and vests	2 50
Men's light shirts worth 50c.....	25
Men's light underwear worth 25c.....	19
Men's light underwear...	25
Straw hats 25c,50c,75c &	1 00

The FAMOUS,

133 W. Second,

Short and Sweet

Is our little piece today—We have the coolest store, the cleanest stock, the largest grocery in town—We quote no prices, but we are in a position to serve you. Read our "ads," visit our store frequently, and you will surely be on the royal road to wealth.

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Estimates promptly furnished.

GOT ENOUGH

Business Men's Ball Club Has Gone Up the Flume.

The Club to Be Continued on the Co-Operative Plan by the Players

Under the Management of Cap Tanner—Uniforms etc. All Turned Over to Him by the Association and the Club Will Make a New Start—Will Play Three Games With the Nationals—Ball News.

The business men's base ball club has gone up the flume. The gentlemen back of the club stuck by it until their guarantee pile was practically exhausted. Then they decided to throw up the sponge. They had about $600 worth of experience and knew when they had enough.

This decision to quit was arrived at at a meeting of those interested in the club held last night at the Central Savings bank. It was shown that the guarantee fund of $600 was practically exhausted, and if the club was continued the share-holders would have to go down in their pockets to put up the cash. It was also shown that the patronage of the game was not sufficient to meet expenses. The games with Marion, which were the best attended of any series of the season, proved this. For the whole series the receipts only ran a little over $200, and when the expenses, percentage, etc., of the visiting team were paid, only about $20 were left with which to pay the salaries of the home team for the week. This really settled the question. It was evident that without Sunday ball the game could only be continued at a dead loss. So it was decided to drop the business. The Business Men's Association was formally disbanded. These gentlemen are really deserving of a good word from the fans for their effort. They spent their money trying to make the ball team a success and only quit when it was demonstrated that the patronage would not come any ways near supporting the team.

It is understood that although the association has decided to quit, the ball team will be continued on the co-operative plan. The players had a meeting and decided to make a trial on this plan. They will endeavor to secure a guarantee large enough to pay their board. With this end in view they have a paper in circulation asking fans to contribute $1 a week towards paying their board. Whatever they may make will be divided equally among the players. "Cap." Tanner will have charge of the team and look after the business for them. The club uniforms, etc., were turned over to Tanner by the association last night.

The team, under the new management, will play their first game Thursday. The opposing team will be the Nationals, of Cincinnati. This team has an excellent reputation, and, it is said, have not lost a game this season. Among the players is Woodruff, formerly of this city, who will hold down second base. The team will play a series of three games. There should be a good-sized crowd out to these games.

NOTES.

Manager Marcus, of the Parkersburg team, is organizing an independent team and claims to have Woodruff's promise to join him as soon as he gets his team shaped up.

Little Woodruff, who is regarded by many local fans as the best second baseman in the ranks of the minor-professionals in this section, is now in Cincinnati. He played with the Kentons Sunday against the Spiders.

Will Padan, the clever amateur pitcher, broke a small bone in one of his fingers Sunday afternoon while playing ball at Indian Run. He was hit on the finger by a batted ball. It will disable him for some time.

"Doc." Severs went up against the Ft. Wayne management last week for more money, and he got there, too. He is now getting the salary limit, $150 per month. He deserves it, for certainly he has been pitching great ball.

"Shorty" Hausman, who has been laid up at his home in Cincinnati for a couple of weeks with a sprained ankle, arrived in the city last night to rejoin the team. He got in just in time to hear the news of the bust-up. He will stick by the boys on the co-operative basis.

The Marietta team, late of the Ohio-West Virginia league, has been reorganized on an independent basis, with A. D. Alderman as manager. They have practically the same club as the old league team. Mr. Alderman expects to take his team on a tour through the state. The salary list of the team is away down, and this enables the manager to make both ends meet.

The Young Orioles, a crack nine in juvenile base ball circles, want a game with somebody—an old amateur nine will do. The boys say they can lick anything of their size, white or black. They ask any nine wanting a scrap to communicate with Captain Augustus Parker, commander-in-chief of the Orioles.

The Times earnestly wishes the boys success in their efforts to keep the ball team going here. We have never figured in the role of knockers, and do not propose to begin now. We stood by Shinners and did what we could to give the association of business men the glad hand. Believing that they were working for the best interests of the game, the Times did not seek opportunities for unfair criticism, but "pushed the ball along" at all times. We extend the same courtesy and good-will to "Cap." Tanner and his associates.

TO DEVELOP A GOLD MINE

Former Portsmouth Man to Try His Luck in the Mining Region in California.

Mrs. Carson and sister, Miss Lulu Stumph, of Cincinnati, are spending a few days with the family of Wesley Ridenour, on East Third street. Mrs. Carson formerly resided here, her husband being at one time employed as book-keeper in the old Spring works. He has been connected with a Cincinnati firm until recently, when he was made secretary and treasurer of a company organized in the Queen City to develop a gold mine in California. He left Saturday for Sacramento. In a month or six weeks he will return and move his family to California. The mine in which Mr. Carson is interested is located about 250 miles southeast of Sacramento. It is said to be a valuable one, and the company will at once erect a thirty stamp mill.

THE FISHERMEN

Who Are Accused of Using a Seine, Have Their Hearing Before Squire Hill This Afternoon.

The trial of George Englert, George Barr, Henry Ruhl, "Honey" Pyles and others, charged with seining in the placid waters of Brush creek, was held this afternoon at 1 o'clock before 'Squire Hill, on the West Side. It will be remembered that the men were arrested about a week ago. An affidavit was also filed against Henry Klingman but he succeeded in proving that he was not out of town that day, and the charge was dismissed.

The accused are represented by Hon. Theo. K. Funk, and will fight the case bitterly. They will fight the identification and also contend that they were not seining for fish. They were after turtles, and if any fish were caught in their nets, they threw them back into the creek. This they assert was not in violation of the law.

A LITTLE CIRCUS

Blew Into the City From Waverly This Morning and Is Holding Forth in the East End.

A one-horse circus, calling itself "The Her-Burke and De Witt consolidated shows," struck town this morning. The concern showed at Waverly yesterday, and this morning packed its earthly belongings in a couple of cars and was hauled to this city by the N. & W. passenger train, due at 10:57. The tents were pitched on the old fair grounds and performances began this afternoon. The show is a ten and twenty cent affair and is about up to the average affair of the kind.

OBITUARY.

YOUNG.

The three-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Young, of South Portsmouth, died Sunday evening, a victim of the severe heat. Funeral services were held at Mt. Zion church yesterday afternoon.

ZWICKER.

The sixteen-year-old daughter of Charles Zwicker, living near Scioto-ville, died yesterday afternoon. She had been an invalid all her life. The funeral serivces were held at Scioto-ville this afternoon, at 3 o'clock, Rev. Schwab, of this city, officiating.

EGBERT.

The two-months-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Egbert, of Lucasville, died yesterday at 11 o'clock p. m. The funeral services will be held at Lucasville this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

DON'T LIKE IT.

Collector Johnson Not Struck on His Job and Wants to Quit—Meeting Held Yesterday.

The members of the Physicians' Protective association held a meeting yesterday afternoon at the office of Dr. Pixley. It is understood that the collector of the association, Mr. F. L. Johnson, is not stuck on his job of collecting bad debts. He is not getting rich very rapidly and is thinking about throwing up the sponge. The meeting yesterday was held to talk over matters. Another meeting will be held next Monday and definite action taken as to the future of the association.

If you want to pay cash for coal, see us. We will sell you all the best grades of river coal you want for 6½ cents per bushel.

J. M. STOCKHAM.

A TRIFLE GAY

Were the New Uniforms of the Band Boys and They Were Sent Back.

Nothing should be too good for the people of this city—especially the River City band boys—but M. C. Lilly & Co. over-estimated their make-up and gave them too much for their money in the way of uniforms. The verdict has been that there was too much style about them and they were returned today to be toned down. Some of the gaudy gold trimming will be removed, the fancy buttons given way to something more moderate, and a re-arrangement generally to better suit a common lot of musicians.

French cambric percales reduced; French organdies reduced; Lappet mulls reduced. Everything in summer wash goods reduced.

MARTING BROS. & CO.

A New Residence.

Mrs. Zaph will erect a handsome new two-story frame house on West Ninth street, near Chillicothe. Work on the foundation was commenced Monday.

Have you tried "Sugar Loaf" tomatoes, made by Sears & Nichols? If not, ask your grocer for a can. They are the best on earth.

ALL OUR Ladies' Low-Cut Shoes

At prices that were never offered before by any dealer.

45c, 55c, 65c, 75c, 85c and 95c A Pair.

These prices are absolutely lower than the cost of production.

Chas. Winter.

509 Chillicothe St.

R. R. Time Table.

C. & O. R. R.

East bound.	West bound.
*11:50 a. m.	* 4:50 a. m.
* 2:53 p. m.	* 7:10 a. m.
† 7:15 p. m.	* 2.05 p. m.
*12:00 p. m.	† 2:53 p. m.

C. P. & V. R. R.

Leave	Arrive
† 6:05 a. m.	*12.05 p. m.
* 2:00 p. m.	† 8:55 p. m.

N. & W. R. R.

North bound	East bound
* 5:15 a. m.	†10:55 a. m.
† 4:42 p. m.	† 3:42 p. m.
†10:28 a. m.	*11:10 p. m.

B. & O. S-W. (Hamdan Junction.)

Leave	Arrive
† 7:00 a. m.	†10:40 a. m.
† 2:40 p. m.	† 6:05 p. m.

* Daily. † Daily except Sunday.

Imperial Company,

Cheap Cash Grocery

1 lb best lard.....	5c
1 sack good flour.....40, 50 &.....	65c
20 lbs. granulated sugar.....	$1 00
21 lbs. coffee A sugar.....	1 00
Fine shrimp per can.....	11c
Canned mackerel per can.....	9c
Cove oysters per can	9c
3lbs best lump starch.....	10c
4 lbs best washing soda.....	5c
1776 soap powder, 3 boxes.	10c
17 bars German soap.....	25c
9 bars Star soap.....	25c
9 bars Yankee soap.....	25c
6 bars Ivory soap..	25c
Mason's pint jars per doz.....	38c
Mason's quart jars per doz.....	40c
Mason's 2 quart jars per doz.....	55c
Midnight ink 2 bottles.....	5c
2 lbs cream soda crackers..... ...	15c
1 lb butter and oyster crackers.....	5c
1 lb ginger snaps.....	5c

We also have all kinds of cheese and meats on hand.

Imperial Company.

93 W. Second, Phone 260

Mineral Water.

Don't pay fancy prices and heavy freight charges on Mineral Water when you can get the best for less money at home.

Blue Lick

Put up in jugs or bottles 30c per gallon. Also Waukesha Water.

Marsh's Pure Ice

Is the best for family use.

J. I. MARSH

Cor. Front and Market.

G. L. DOUGLAS,

No. 10 West Sixth Street.

Shoes Made to Order.

Repairing neatly done. Prices low for firstclass work. Call and be convinced.

To-Night,

500 Yards Bleached Muslin, Equal to Lonsdale, 5 Cents Per Yard.

Wash Goods

We have made quite a reduction in this line and still have a few pretty styles left.

Big line of calicoes just received, in neat and large figures, black, greys, dark and light blues and red, at

5 Cents Per Yard.

Bleached Sheetings

9-4 Mohawk sheeting, heavier than Pepperell, only.	18c
10-4 Mohawk sheeting, heavier than Pepperell, only.....	20c
42 inch bleached pillow casing, per yard.....	10c

Unbleached Sheetings

9-4 Pepperell unbleached sheeting, our price.....	16c
10-4 Pepperell unbleached sheeting, our price.....	18c
42 inch pillow casing, unbleached, per yard,.....	10c

Big reduction on children's lace caps.

Men's balbriggan underwear, don't miss it 50c a suit.

JOHN F. STEAHLY,

Opera House Block *Cor. Fourth and Chillicothe Sts.*

An Opportunity LOST.

The way to make money is to spend wisely. To spend wisely, you must take advantage of every trade wind that blows your way. It may be some other man's misfortune but that is no concern of yours. It isn't pleasant

To Lose Money,

That's what we are doing on hundreds of articles. Now is your time to make great gains. Will you do it? We think you will if you will come and see the give away prices we are making on all kinds of notions.

HENRY KLINGMAN

West Second Street, Next Door to J. C. Hibbs,

Make a Note of It.

We're always up-to-date. When anything novel appears in the millinery line you can find it at Zottman's. Just now we are making some extraordinary low prices on summer hats. Quality and style considered, we are confident we can do better by you than any store in town.

Emma Zottman,

The Leading Milliner,

West Second Street.

No Premiums Or Show Tickets

Our low prices on pure, fresh groceries are the inducements we offer for your trade. A trial will convince you that we are the people to trade with.

New potatoes per peck.....	20c
New onions per peck.....	20c
2 best mackerel.....	5c
Good flour.....	50c
2 packages coffee.....	25c
10 bars best laundry soap.....	25c
Good ginger snaps, per pound.....	5c

The finest of ice cream served every day. Drop in and see us.

G. W. HAAG & CO.

Corner Gallia and Offnere Sts.

STRIKE SIZED UP.

Thousands of Miners at Work In West Virginia.

IRONCLAD CONTRACTS BROKEN.

In the Pittsburg District the Men In Several More Mines Quit Work, Making the Idleness Almost Complete—Great Interest Manifested In the Scheme to Arbitrate the Differences.

Pittsburg, July 13.—Beyond the strengthening of the miners' lines along the rivers, there was little change in the strike situation. The ironclad contracts which were in force at several mines in the Monongahela valley were swept out of existence and the strike was made general in the fourth pool.

The Chamouni, Apollo, Jack Jones and O'Neill's Fayette City mines which had been running with a light force of men and under ironclads are idle. The men at Chamouni mine were the last to lay down their tools. The miners along the river are rejoicing over this victory.

The only mine reported in operation in the region is the Quotable at Werster. It is a stock company, comprising about 75 stockholders and they are mining their own coal. The Blyth Coal Co. has offered the sixty-nine cent rate to their men at the Red Bird mine, but the officials will not allow them to go to work at present.

A mass meeting was held at Fayette City to look after the strikers' interests and see that no mines resume.

The greatest interest is now manifested in the scheme to arbitrate the strike question. Labor Commissioners and official arbitrators of the several states affected are mobilizing in this city. The state of Ohio is the only one which has a regularly appointed board of arbitration. It exists for just such emergencies as this.

GOVERNOR ATKINSON

Looks Into the Miners' Strike In Its Relation to West Virginia.

Wheeling, July 13.—Governor Atkinson of West Virginia arrived in the city from Charleston. While here he had a conference with State Labor Commissioner Isaac V. Barton. The coal strike with reference to West Virginia was gone over at some length. Of the 25,000 miners in the state all are busily at work with the exception of 700 or 800 men in the organized district in the Panhandle counties.

Commissioner Barton spoke to the governor with reference to having him attend the conference of governors and labor commissioners at Pittsburg.

The governor replied that he had not received an invitation to atend the conference, and supposed that the reason he had not been invited was that there was practically nothing to arbitrate in this state yet.

It was decided, however, that Commissioner Barton would attend the conference in a private capacity, not as a representative of the state government empowered to act on its behalf. Commissioner Barton acquiesced in this view and left for Pittsburg.

WEST VIRGINIA MINERS

Seem to Be Unusually Busy In Supplying Coal.

Pittsburg, July 13.—A correspondent who has made a tour of the West Virginia coal fields says: "A trip through the coal regions, from the Ohio river to the Monogah district, would indicate that instead of a general strike among the miners, prosperity had at last gained the day and was there to stay. At New Haven, Spillman and other points along the line of the Ohio River railroad the mines and coke ovens are running at their full capacity, the output being only limited by the lack of cars to transport the fuel and a scarcity of men to mine the product.

The Palatine miners have demanded an increase of 10 cents per ton and it is said that if the request is refused it will be the beginning of a West Virginia strike.

Strikers from the Ohio and other coal fields have been quietly circulating among the men both in the Fairmont, Monongahela and Farmington territories and it would not create surprise if the demand of the Palatine miners was a "feeler."

Working at Schick's Mines.

Wheeling, July 13.—Developments across the river in the eastern Ohio mining district were meager. Interest has shifted from the Dillonvale mines, on the Wheeling and Lake Erie road up the river to the region on the Baltimore and Ohio back of the river from Bellaire. The men at the Schick mines there have been working at the 60 cent rate demanded by the strikers, but the men in the other mines along the Baltimore and Ohio object to the men working and are trying to force them out. So far they have been unsuccessful, but a meeting is to be held at 2 p. m. at Neff's siding, with the avowed purpose to get the men out of Schick's mines.

Sympathizes With Strikers.

Indianapolis, July 13. Governor Mounts said his sympathy is all with the strikers in the present contest between the operators and miners. He is investigating his authority as chief executive to take a hand in the struggle, and if he sees his way clear will appoint an investigating commission. The governor's action in that event will depend upon the report of the commission from a personal contact with the strikers. The governor's pet aversion is the "pluck me" store.

Will Confiscate No More Coal.

Cleveland, July 13.—The Lake Shore Railway company has given an order to allow all consignments of coal to pass through. It will confiscate no more coal. The railway company has assured the Lake Erie Iron company that it will return its confiscated coal in a short time and upon this assurance the company has started its mills.

Miners Will Go to Work.

Akron, O., July 13.—The Akron Coal company received word from Silver Creek that 200 miners will go to work in its mines there. They will get 60 cents. The Erie railroad company has placed guards over a large amount of coal sidetracked near Wadsworth.

Coal From Virginia.

Wheeling, July 13.—West Virginia coal is passing over the three coal carrying roads in this vicinity in large quantities, but so far there has been no molestation of trains.

SOME FEELING

Exhibited Between Two Sections of Christian Endeavorers From Chicago.

San Francisco, July 13.—The last open session of the international Christian Endeavorers was an enthusiastic one.

The attendance at the morning and afternoon meetings was large and at night those who managed to obtain entrance to either of the meeting places were fortunate, for only 25,000 could be accommodated and 10,000 more sought admission.

Estimates made by leading business men agree that the people brought here by this great gathering will leave not less than $1,000,000 in this city. All the leaders of the movement are pleased with the success of their efforts and with the outlook for the future of the society.

The rivalries which has existed between two coteries of Chicago Endeavorers, since the incipiency of the California excursion, has culminated in open agitation.

One faction was headed by Rev. C. S. Bullock, editor of the Christian Endeavorer, the other by E. A. Ranson, who represented the Golden Rule followers. En route to San Francisco, the Chicagoans split at Denver on the Sunday traveling uestion, the Bullock party arriving at Salt Lake City on Saturday evening and the Hansom on Sunday evening.

At this point the banners "Illinois Endeavorers" hung from the Bullock coaches, were taken by the Ransom people with the plea that the former did not officially represent the Illinois delegation.

The Bullock passengers were all Illinois Endeavorers and maintained their right to organize a separate Californian bound excursion and to so designate themselves on their coaches. The banners, however, were not recovered.

The second chapter of this religious war has been written on the Pacific slope. The Bullock party which was two days aheal of the Ransom party, planned under the leadership of Mr. Bullock, who had been officially assigned to slum meetings in connection with the convention, a serious of gospel meetigs meetings in Chinatown and similar districts. When the Ransom people arrived they promptly had Mr. Bullock turned down as leader of slum meetings, also ordered him in the Illinois rally.

A Slow Mile.

Port Huron, Mich., July 13.—The match race for $500 a side between Tom Cooper, of Detroit, and Fred Loughhead, of Sarnia, the Canadian champion on Port Huron's quarter mile cement track was a sorry disappointment to the 1300 spectators present. It was won by the Canadian in the suprisingly slow time of 2:22 flat.

BASEBALL.

Results of the National Game on Various Diamonds—The Standing.

CLUB	W.	L.	P.C.	CLUB	W.	L.	P.C.
Bost....	46	17	.730	Pitts ...	29	34	.460
Cin'ti...	41	20	.672	Phila...	30	37	.447
Balto...	41	21	.661	Chica...	28	38	.424
N. Y....	39	23	.629	Louis...	25	36	.409
Clevo...	34	30	.531	Wash...	24	38	.387
Brook ..	30	35	.461	St. L....	13	51	.204

St. Louis, 5; Baltimore, 9.

AT ST. LOUIS—		R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	1 0 0 2 0 0 0 2 0	5	7	2
Baltimore	0 0 0 1 0 1 1 3 3	9	11	3

Batteries—Carsey and Douglas; Corbett and Clark. Umpire—Hurst.

Cleveland, 2; Boston, 8.

AT CLEVELAND—		R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0	2	7	2
Boston	0 1 0 4 3 0 0 0 *	8	9	1

Batteries—Clark, Young and Criger; Nichols and Berger. Umpire Sheridan.

Cincinnati, 5; New York, 8.

AT CINCINNATI—		R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	0 0 0 2 0 1 0 0 2	5	8	2
New York	0 0 0 3 1 0 1 3 0	8	14	1

Batteries—Rhines and Vaughn; Rusie and Warner. Umpire O'Day.

Chicago, 13; Brooklyn, 9.

AT CHICAGO—		R.	H.	E.
Chicago	2 0 6 1 0 1 3 0 *	13	15	4
Brooklyn	2 0 0 0 2 3 2 0 0	9	15	1

Batteries—Friend and Donohue; McMahon, Payne and Grim. Umpire—McDonald.

Louisville, 10; Philadelphia, 7.

AT LOUISVILLE—		R.	H.	E
Louisville	0 0 3 1 3 1 1 1 0	10	15	1
Philadelphia	0 0 0 0 1 1 3 2 0	7	14	6

Batteries—Hill and Wilson; Taylor and McFarland. Umpire—Lynch.

Pittsburg, 6; Washington, 13.

AT PITTSBURG—		R.	H.	E
Pittsburg	0 3 1 0 0 0 0 1 1	6	12	4
Washington	2 0 2 0 0 5 0 2 2	13	13	5

Batteries—Killen, Hastings and Sugden; Mercer and Farrell. Umpire—Emslie.

WESTERN LEAGUE.

At Milwaukee—No game; rain.

At St. Paul—St. Paul, 7; Kansas City, 3

At Grand Rapids—No game; wet grounds.

At Indianapolis—Indianapolis, 14; Detroit, 4. [illegible]

INTERSTATE LEAGUE.

[illegible]

TURF WINNERS.

[illegible]

ARMENIAN OUTRAGES.

Important Document on the Situation Is Received at Paris.

Paris, July 13.—Pere Charmetant, director general of the French mission in the Levant, has received by way of the Caucusus and Tiflis a report, prepared by a number of Armenian notables and Gregorian bishops on the situation in Armenia.

It took the messenger who had the document in charge nearly three months to get through the difficulties along the Turkish frontier, which was carefully guarded against all Armenians or Armenian sympathizers.

The report, which fills 30 printed pages, goes fully into the situation. According to its authors the Turks in Armenia fearing European intervention have abandoned the old practices of wholesale massacre, but during the last year they have been clandestine butcheries and most terrible persecutions, especially in the more remote provinces.

Turks openly boast they have sworn to wipe out the whole Armenian race. The document recites in detail various form of persecution. It appears that the tax collectors seize the inhabitants if they do not pay everything demanded.

"Women are taken through the streets with chains around their necks and kept for days without food. In some cases they are fastened to pillows head downwards. Freezing water is thrown over them or they are beaten until the blood runs.

In other cases their hands are tied behind their backs and then cats, first made furious, are thrown upon their bosoms. Often they are burned in various parts of their bodies with red hot irons.

"All the highways are guarded so as to prevent emigration. Not a single day passes without our hearing of or witnessing somewhere within our unfortunate provinces some act of fiendish cruelty."

The Turks and Kurds enter the houses of Armenians in gangs, bind the men and then outrage their wives, sisters and daughters before their eyes.

The document concludes with the despairing cry: "Our hope is dying out. God help us. May urope have pity upon us."

Turks Are Blamed.

Rome, July 13.—In the chamber of deputies the Marquis Visvouti Kenosta, minister for foreign affairs said that the Turkish government was placing numerous difficulties in the way of the peace negotiations and causing delay. He added: "This condition of things can not be allowed to continue. The great powers remain perfectly united and are determined to attain their ends."

Wants His Salary.

Constantinople, July 13.—Saadi Bey, formerly chief accountant of the ministry of commerce, who was recently appointed Mutessarif of Urfa, refuses to go to Urfa until the arrears of his salary have been paid. He has fortified his house in Constantinople and surrounded it with armed men to whom he has given orders to resist any attempt to abduct him.

Thinks He Has the Murderer.

Salt Lake, July 13.—Sheriff Lewis has for some time been in correspondence with a detective named Dougald Campbell, of Eganville, Canada, who thinks he has located Preacher Herman, wanted in this city on a charge of murder. The man is now under arrest in Canada and Sheriff Lewis is positive that the identification is complete.

MARKET REPORTS.

Grain and Stock Quotations For July 12.

NEW YORK.

Beef—Family, $9 00@10 00; extra mess, $7 50@8 00; packed, $8 50@9 00. Cut meats—Pickled bellies, 5½@7c; pickled shoulders, 5¼@5¾c; pickled hams, 8¾@9c. Lard Western steam, $4 05. Pork—Old mess, $8 00@8 50.

Butter—Western dairy, 11@15c; creamery, 11@15c; do factory, 8@12c. Cheese—State large, 8¼@8¾c; small, 7½@8c; part skims, 4@6c; full skims, 2½@3c. Eggs—State and Pennsylvania, 12@12½c; western fresh, 10@11c.

Wheat—77@77¼c. Corn—30½c. Rye—37c. Oats—22¾c.

PITTSBURG.

Cattle—Best steers, $4 80@4 90; good, $4 50@4 70; tidy butchers', $4 20@4 40; fair, $3 90@4 10; common, $3 25@3 65; bulls, stags and cows, $2 00@3 50; heifers, $3 00@4 00.

Hogs—Prime pigs, $3 80@3 85; best light Yorkers, $3 75@3 80; best medium and good Yorkers, $3 75; heavy, $3 50@3 65; roughs, $2 40@3 20.

Sheep and Lambs—Sheep, choice, $3 95@4 00; good, $3 80@3 90; fair, $3 40@3 65; common, $2 [illegible]@3 20; lambs, $4 25@6 50.

Calves—$6 00@6 50.

CHICAGO.

Hogs—Light, $3 45@3 62½; mixed, $3 40@3 57½; rough, $3 15@3 30; heavy, $3 15@3 52½.

Cattle—Beeves, $3 80@5 00; cows and heifers, $1 80@4 35; Texas steers, $2 80@4 10; stockers and feeders, $3 [illegible]@4 25.

Sheep—Steady.

Wheat—[illegible]c. Corn—25½c. Oats—17⅝c. Rye—[illegible]c.

CINCINNATI.

Wheat—No. 2 red, 75c. Corn—No. 2 mixed, 26c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 19½@21c. Rye—[illegible].

Lard—$3 [illegible]. Bulk meats $4 45@4 50. Bacon—$5 [illegible].

Hogs—$3 [illegible]@3 50. Cattle—$2 25@4 85. [illegible] Lambs—$3 75@5 25.

CLEVELAND.

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Return limit July 20

TORONTO, ONT.,—Epworth league national convention,
Going July 13 to 15 inclusive
Return limit August 12.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.,—Baptist Young People's union of America,
Going July 13 to 15 inclusive
Return limit August 15.

CHICAGO, ILL.,—Unveiling of Logan monument.
Going July 21
Return limit July 26.

CINCINNATI, O.,—German Epworth league of M. E. church
Going July 21 and 22 inclusive
Return limit July 26

INDIANAPOLIS, IND.—Annual convention Young People's Christian union
Going August 17 and 18 inclusive
Return limit September 12.

NATIONAL ENCAMPMENT SONS of VETERANS,
Going September 8 and 9 inclusive
Return limit September 15.

BUFFALO, N. Y.,—G. A. R. encampment,
Going August 21 to 23 inclusive.
Return limit September 20.

COLUMBUS, O.,—Reunion of Army of West Virginia,
Going September 7 and 8 inclusive
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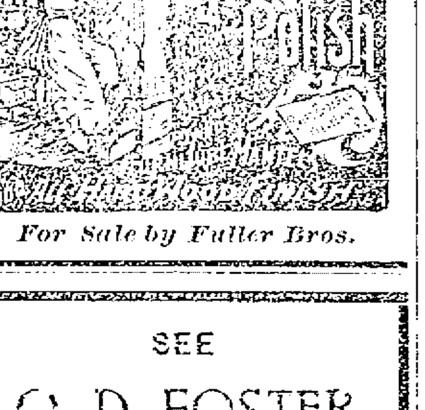

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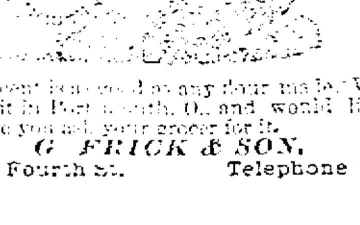

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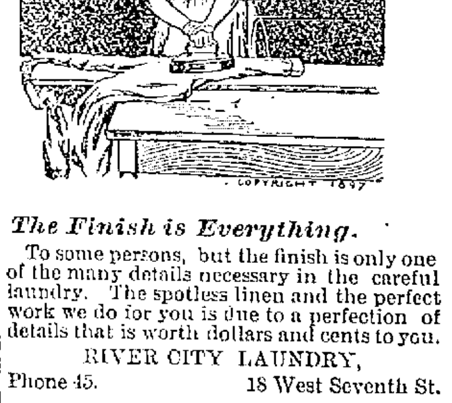

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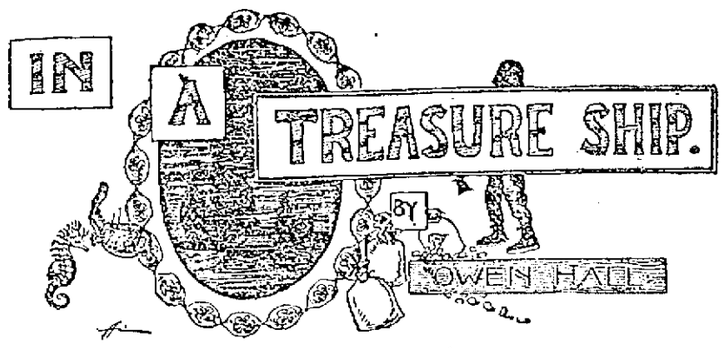

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SYNOPSIS.

The narrator, Hall, of the story is making a cruise among the islands of the eastern Archipelago on a trading brig. She is becalmed in Iloilo bay. Tom Madison, the supercargo, is familiar with the history of the islands, and tells a story of how, in 1578, a Spanish galleon, laden with gold, was said to have been burnt and sunk in the bay by the natives. Hall is gazing in the clear water as they drift along, when he sees a form that resembles a ship at the bottom of the bay. He tells Madison, who asks the captain to cast anchor, without telling him why. Under pretext of examining the coral beds, Hall determines to go down in a diving suit the next day and investigate the strange object he has seen. The plan he carries out, and he finds himself at the bottom of Iloilo bay.

PART II.

For a moment or two I felt myself sway giddily in the strange, new atmosphere of moving water in which I found myself, then I recovered my equilibrium and looked around me. To say that the scene was a novel one is to say but little—it was that, indeed, but it was far more. Looking through the glasses that protected my eyes and only very slightly dimmed my vision, at the scene which surrounded me, I felt as a man might feel who suddenly found himself transported to a new planet—beautiful, indeed, and mysterious, but, above all, strange and unfamiliar. I stood upon a firm bed of coral sand that was strewed with a thousand shells. The sand was of a soft, creamy white color, and the shells were tinted scarlet, pink and blue of a hundred shades, as various as their shapes. On every side I was surrounded by an ocean shrubbery of coral plants, that rose from a foot to four or five feet, springing from the silvery soil, and stretching their delicate branches, that glowed crimson and scarlet, purple and blue, pink and green, in the soft, clear light.

I looked round me, puzzled and bewildered. Surely no earthly garden was so wonderful as this! In none that I had ever seen were the forms so various or the colors so vivid. Here and there golden fishes darted like gleams of sunshine through the colored boughs, while others of dazzling blue and emerald green hung motionless, like insects poised for flight, or nibbled gently at the soft twigs of the coralline shrubs. Looking from above I had thought these shrubs grew close together into a tangled mass of color, but on a nearer inspection I found I had been wrong. The coral plants grew well apart, and paths and alleys opened through them in every direction; the question was not how to obtain a path, but which of the many paths to take.

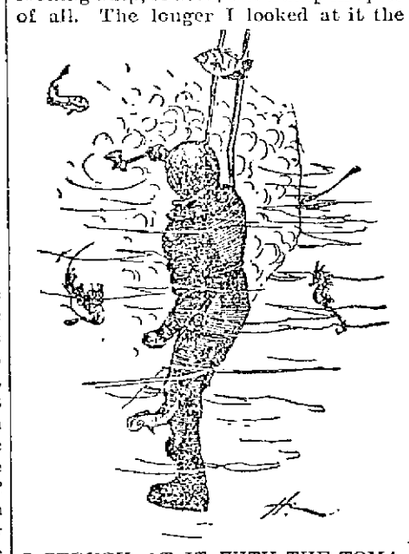
But there was no time to lose. Strange and wonderful as the scene was, it was only for a moment that it had the power to divert my thoughts from the real purpose that had brought me there—the galleon—where, amid all this strange wealth of nature's handiwork, should I find the remnant of man's vanished handiwork, so long given up for lost? Which of all these paths should I take to reach the object I had seen so dimly from above? I cast my eyes upward, and through the soft gray-blue of the water I saw framed in a halo of whiter light the outline of the brig, hovering like some huge bird overhead. She headed now as she had done the evening before, when first she swung to her anchor, and with the recollection came the knowledge of the course on which we had been drifting. I looked up again and marked the direction in which she headed. Turning my face in the same direction, I went in search of the galleon.

The task was an anxious one. No maze invented by the ingenuity of man could compare with this for sheer bewilderment, for the moment I had lost sight of the friendly shadow of the brig there was nothing left to guide me except, indeed, the slender tubes attached to my helmet to supply me with air, and the cord that was to serve me as a danger signal and a means of rescue. These floated behind me as I moved, but I knew that they moved with the currents and were as likely to mislead as to assist me. There was no help for it, however, and I did my best. Slowly and step by step, straining my eyes in every direction to catch the first faint shadow that might lead me to my goal, I moved on through that bewildering blaze of color. Again and again I paused, my heart beating high with hope as some faint shadow rose on my narrow horizon; again and again my heart sank as I recognized that it was nothing but some shadow on the surface of the bay which had perhaps diverted me from my course. I pictured to myself the growing impatience of my friends on the brig, and I was in momentary expectation of some signal along the rope to warn me that their patience was exhausted or their fears for my safety aroused.

At last, just when I was beginning to despair of success, there certainly was a shadow on the horizon to the right that looked more substantial than those that had misled me hitherto. I paused. I felt that it was my last chance. I turned my face towards it and followed the shadow. I had not been mistaken this time. It was something more than a shadow. Each step I made it grew more distinct; each instant it looked more solid and substantial. I had found something, but now the question was whether, after all, Tom had not been right and it would prove to be no more than a rock. Of course it was most likely, and I tried to persuade myself, as step by step I got closer, that I expected and could expect nothing else. The under-sea horizon is but a short one, and I could not have had very many yards to go before I reached the spot.

"A rock! Only a rock, after all," I said to myself, a cold chill of disappointment stealing over me as I did so. I stood still and looked at it hopelessly. It rose to perhaps three times my own height from the sand—a shapeless block of discolored stone. The coral shrubs grew close to the place where it jutted out of its bed, here and there they seemed to be rotted in little ledges and inequalities of its surface, and grew out of these, of every color and at every angle. In every hollow and on every inequality it was crusted with shells; spongy substances expanded their cells; Medusae hung out their long streamers of hair to wave slowly in the currents. A rock, yes, surely, only a rock!

I thought of what I had seen when I looked over the bulwark of the brig the evening before, and, insensibly, hope revived. From above the shape had been that of a ship—a strange, uncouth-looking ship, indeed, but a ship in spite of all. The longer I looked at it the



I STRUCK AT IT WITH THE TOMAHAWK.

stronger the impression grew—it was the same, and it was a ship. Yet how was I to settle the question? I looked up at it, and it looked hopeless. I struck it with the tomahawk, and the edge grated harshly on shells, only on shells. Then an idea struck me; there might be something on the other side.

There was some difficulty in getting round, for the coral grew more thickly here than elsewhere, but I gradually found a way to reach the other side. The idea had been a good one, as I saw at once. The rock, if it was only a rock, was lower at this side; the vessel, if it were indeed a vessel, lay with a heavy list towards the side which I had reached. The growth of coral was thicker here than ever, so much so that it was only by the free use of the tomahawk that at last I was able to get close to it. When I did so, however, the hardest part of my task was done. The perpendicular part of the rock was hardly more than breast high here, and above it the slope, but for one or two lumps in the middle and a higher part at each end, seemed pretty even and not very steep. With a beating heart I prepared to climb.

With the aid of the coral branches I contrived to struggle on to the slope. It had been no easy matter, imprisoned as I was in the stiff leathern casing that hampered each joint and swelled every limb to an elephantine size, but at last I had done it, and the moment it was done I knew that my search had been successful. There could be no longer any doubt about it when seen from above—it was a vessel. I could trace the outline clearly now; I could distinguish the high stern, and the form of the lofty forecastle that jutted out like beetling cliffs of rock. I could even make out what must have been the jagged stump of a mast, though now encrusted deeply with sheels, and overgrown with coral; and—most convincing token of all—that which from below had looked like a solid rock, showed only from above a hollow shell. Natural decay, or it might have been fire, had destroyed part of the deck, and before me there yawned a gap through which I could catch a glimpse of shapeless heaps below that might once have been cargo, overgrown with seaweed and crusted with a myriad shells.

It was the galleon after all, and the discovery was my own. The blood rushed hotly through my veins; my head swam and my eyes grew dim with excitement as I peered forward in the effort to see more of the recesses of the hold from the spot at which I stood, till in fancy I had conjured up vast piles of treasure cases from the shapeless heaps before me. It was minutes before I could think clearly enough to decide what I should do. Should I get drawn up to report my great discovery? But even if I did, what chance would I have of being believed? No, I must have more than my story to show—I must have something which could be seen and touched to convince the most unbelieving of the greatness of my find. I looked at the confused and shapeless heaps again, and it seemed easy. If this were the treasure ship, it could be no long task to get a specimen of what had been the cargo. A single lump of silver would do—still better a bar of gold, such a one as my fancy saw peeping out from the mass of fringing seaweeds and glstening shells, waiting only to be rescued from its hundreds of years of uselessness. With the thought my presence of mind returned, and I examined the place with critical eyes. Yes, it could be done; but for this hampering dress of mine I could do it with ease. The hold had probably never been very deep, and now it was largely filled up by the heaps on which I had feasted my eyes. I crept cautiously along the sloping deck to the opening. I knelt and peered eagerly into the darker depths of the hold.

No, there was no real difficulty about the undertaking. In any case it could, of course, have been easy enough to get down, and I now saw that the slop-

I LOWERED MYSELF OVER THE RAGGED EDGE OF THE DECK.

ing side of the galleon as she lay over would insure an easy way of getting out of the hold on my return. I saw this almost at a glance, but somehow I still felt an uneasy feeling of curiosity, which, strange to say, rather made me hesitate than hasten my descent.

It was only for a few seconds, and then I shook off the impression and prepared to make the attempt. The gap in the deck was only a few feet wide and it didn't extend all the way across the deck so that I could see but a very small part of the hold from where I was. The part still covered by the deck was hardly visible at all from above, but I did not doubt that when once I was there I should find that light enough found its way in to guide me in any search I might have to make. I cast one last careful look around me; I saw that the tubing from my helmet and the cord that was fastened about my waist were free; I lowered myself over the ragged edge of the deck, and in another moment I stood in the hold of the Spanish treasure ship.

TO BE CONTINUED.

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Bottled Up!

Whether in the form of pill powder or liquid, the doctor's prescription for blood diseases is always the same—mercury or potash. These drugs bottle up the poison and dry it up in the system, but they also dry up the marrow in the bones at the same time.

The suppleness and elasticity of the joints give way to a stiffness, the racking pains of rheumatism. The form gradually bends, the bones ache, while decrepitude and helplessness prematurely take possession of the body, and it is but a short step to a pair of crutches. Then comes falling of the hair and decay of the bones,—a condition truly horrible.

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GLADSTONE AND DISRAELI.

The Ways of the Two Great Premiers Were Curiously Unlike.

I heard nearly all the great speeches made by both the men in that parliamentary duel, which lasted for so many years. My own observation and judgment gave the superiority to Mr. Gladstone all through, but I quite admit that Disraeli stood up well to his great opponent and that it was not always easy to award the prize of victory. The two men's voices were, curiously unlike. Disraeli had a deep, low, powerful voice, heard everywhere throughout the house, but having little variety or music in it. Gladstone's voice was tuned to a higher note, was penetrating, resonant, liquid and full of an exquisite modulation and music which gave new shades of meaning to every emphasized word. The ways of the men were in almost every respect curiously unlike. Gladstone was always eager for conversation. He loved to talk to anybody about anything. Disraeli, even among his most intimate friends, was given to frequent fits of absolute and apparently gloomy silence.

Gladstone, after his earlier parliamentary days, became almost entirely indifferent to dress. Disraeli always turned out in the newest fashion, and down to his latest years went in the get up of a young man about town. Not less different were the characters and temperaments of the two men. Gladstone changed his political opinions many times during his long parliamentary career, but he changed his opinions only in deference to the force of a growing conviction and to the recognition of facts and conditions which he could no longer conscientiously dispute. Nobody probably ever knew what Mr. Disraeli's real opinions were upon any political question or whether he had any real opinions at all. Gladstone began as a Tory and gradually became changed into a Radical. Disraeli began as an extreme Radical under the patronage of Daniel O'Connell and changed into a Tory. But everybody knew that Gladstone was at first a sincere Tory and at last a sincere Radical. Nobody knew, or, indeed, cared, whether Disraeli ever was either a sincere Radical or a sincere Tory.—Justin McCarthy in Outlook.

WHAT POSED HIM.

The Mythological Centaur and the Proper Medicine Man.

The man with a valise and an umbrella had bought one or two cheap volumes of fiction, when a more pretentious publication on a counter near the door caught his attention. It contained a number of elaborate pictures of mythological characters, and he was glancing rapidly through it when one of the pages attracted his especial interest. He lingered over it, turned several leaves and then went back. After he had started away and gone as far as the door the fascination again proved irresistible, and he was soon gazing thoughtfully at the same page.

"Can we do something more for you?" asked the clerk.

"You learn a great deal about what's in these books, don't you?" he asked.

"We naturally become familiar with the contents in the course of time," was the answer.

"Well, it will probably be exposing my ignorance for me to ask it, but I wish you would tell me what that is," and he turned the book around so that the salesman could see. "I never had much chance to study up on natural history," he added apologetically.

"That, sir, is a centaur," was the answer.

His curiosity was not yet satisfied. He dropped his head over on his shoulder and looked at the picture with one eye.

"I suppose," he resumed, "that this thing wouldn't bother me so much if I hadn't recently gone on the road for a patent medicine firm. That has given me an interest I never had before. And you know whenever a man has just taken up a subject it's hard for him to get it off his mind. I don't believe that I ever will get over being puzzled about that centaur."

"In what way?"

"Supposing he got sick?"

"Well?"

"Whom would they send for, a regular physician or a veterinary surgeon?"—Washington Star.

Mountain Resorts of Colorado.

Greatly reduced rates for the round trip to Colorado and the summer resorts of the Rocky Mountains via the favorite Colorado Short Line of the Missouri Pacific railway. Summer tourist tickets now on sale with limit until October 31st, returning. Through solid trains, equipped with Pullman Palace Buffet sleeping cars and handsome free reclining chair cars without change, St. Louis to Pueblo, Colorado Springs, Manitou and Denver. For resort books and full information, address N. R. Warwick, agent, 317 Vine street, Cincinnati, Ohio.

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SEA SHORE EXCURSION

To Old Point Comfort and Fortress Monroe, Via C. & O. on Thursday July 22nd. A Good Attraction.

Among the numerous resorts of the Atlantic coast none has maintained its supremacy like Old Point Comfort. An opportunity to visit it at a popular priced round trip rate is always taken advantage of by thousands from the west who prefer it, and rightly, too, above the other resorts. The Hygeia Hotel for any years has held its place in popular favor and is so well known as to need no description, but any who have not visited Old Point Comfort since the Chamberlain has reached completion will be delighted with this magnificent hostelry—immense in its proportions, luxuriously furnished, commanding a position of Old Point Comfort which gives to its guests an extended view of Hampton Roads' harbor and the broad Atlantic. Both the Hygeia and Chamberlain are within a stone's throw of Fortress Monroe, the great training school of the United States Army, whose grand mounts, reviews and dress parades are a never-failing source of interest to visitors. Some representative ship of the United States Navy, as well as of some other foreign navies, is nearly always anchored in front of Old Point Comfort, while short excursions can be made to the Soldiers' Home and Indian Normal school at Hampton, (ten minutes' ride by electric cars) or to the Goscort Navy yard at Portsmouth, opposite Norfolk, Va., (forty-five minutes' ride by steamer) or to Ocean View, across from Hampton Roads, (twenty minutes by steamer) or to Virginia Beach, (reached by rail in thirty minutes from Norfolk) or to the three million dollar ship yards and the foreign and domestic shipping at Newport News (reached in twenty-five minutes by train). These attractions, with its surf bathing and fishing, gives a greater variety to the scenes around Old Point Comfort than to any other American sea-shore resort. The Hygeia and Chamberlain make a rate of $2.00 per day for this occasion. Round trip tickets will be sold for the F. F. V. limited, leaving Cincinnatiat 12:01, noon, and for the Atlantic express leaving Cincinnati at 9:10 p. m., Thursday, July 22d, at the following rates:

From Cincinnati, Maysville and intermediate stations, $12.00; from Portsmouth, $11.00; from Ironton, Ashland and Catlettsburg, $10.00; from Huntington, W. Va., $9.50 for the round trip. Tickets will be good returning within fifteen days from date of sale. They will be for continuous passage to Old Point Comfort on the going trip. On the return trip stopover privileges will be granted at Richmond, Va., Natural Bridge, Hot Springs, Va.; White Sulphur Springs and other famous mountain resorts. The scenery of the Chesapeake and Ohio along the Ohio, Kanawha, New and Greenbrier rivers and across the Allegheny Mountains is of so grand and varied a nature as to well repay one for making the trip, even if the attractions at the coast were not so great. Pullman sleeping car reservations should be made in advance by addressing O. B. Ryan, assistant general passenger agent, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Something to Depend On.

Mr. James Jones, of the drug firm of Jones & Son, Cowden, Ill., in speaking of Dr. King's New Discovery, says that last winter his wife was attacked with la grippe, and her case grew so serious that physicians at Cowden and Pana could do nothing for her. It seemed to develop into hasty consumption. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in store, and selling lots of it, he took a bottle home, and, to the surprise of all, she began to get better from the first dose, and half a dozen dollar bottles cured her sound and well. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds is guaranteed to do this good work. Try it. Free trial bottles at Fisher & Streich's drug store.

"Dead Stuck" kills roaches, moths and bugs. Non-poisonous. 25 cents.

Niagara Falls Excursion.

On Thursday, August 12th, the Cleveland, Akron & Columbus railway will run an excursion from Columbus to Niagara Falls via Cleveland and the palatial steamer "City of Buffalo," of the Cleveland and Buffalo Transit Co. The round trip rate from Columbus and Zanesville will be $6.00. Train will leave Columbus at 11:30 a. m. of that day, making fast time. Tickets good returning five days from date of sale. For special information as to trips beyond Niagara Falls, stop-over privileges and all details, see special excursion bills, or apply to any agent of this company, or

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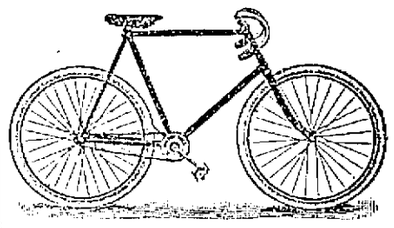

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WHERE IT GOES

Taxes Paid by Scioto County's Seventy-One Saloon Keepers.

The Total Amount Collected Is Nearly $12,000—The Funds That Get It—A New Suit and Other Court House Happenings.

The auditor and treasurer have completed the collection and distribution of the liquor tax for the half year past. The total amount collected was $11,925.48, several not paying up. There are 71 saloons in the county—64 in Portsmouth, 3 in New Boston and 2 in Otway. Of the amount collected, $3,417.25 goes to the state. The rest is divided up as follows:

Police fund, Portsmouth—$2,633.85.
General fund, Portsmouth — $2,633.85.
Police fund, Otway—$55.54.
General fund, Otway—$55.54.
County poor fund—$2,356.27.

The auditor's fees amount to $238.50, and the treasurer gets $59.63 for collecting the tax. Several who have not yet paid will be brought to time soon. $475 was refunded to saloonists who have gone out of business.

REVIVING A JUDGMENT.

Damarin & Co. vs. John Diehlman is a suit to revive a judgment obtained by Damarin & Co. against the defendant November 17th, 1890. There is $498 32 still due on the judgment, and thy ask for revivor for that amount.

EXPENSIVE TIES.

John Henson, found guilty of stealing four cross-ties worth $1.20, was fined $10 and costs and sentenced to serve thirty days in jail by Judge Ball.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Charles Allison, age 21, Lucasville; Sarah Chestnut age 18, Lucasville.

THEY FAVOR ARBITRATION

Resolution Passed by Christian Endeavor Union—Other Business at Last Night's Session.

The Christian Endeavor union met last evening and transacted considerable business. The corn committee reported the result of its work, which has already been published. The Good Citizenship committee reported the establishment of a free ice water barrel in front of Walker's restaurant, near Second and Market streets.

A communication was received from the Epworth League of Bigelow church, suggesting the organization of a federation of young people's societies. A committee, consisting of one from each church, was appointed to consider the matter.

The following resolution was passed:

Whereas, The Christian Endeavor union, being an organization to assist in the elevation of mankind, feel it our duty at the present time to use our influence in bringing about a peaceable settlement of the differences between our miners and mine owners; and be it further

Resolved: That we urge the ministers of this city to use all their powers to the end of bringing about the principle of arbitration in said trouble, as we believe it to be the most civilized and humane way to bring about the desired results; and be it further

Resolved: That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the various Christian Endeavor newspapers, for the purpose of bringing about the desired results.

THE JUDGE IS ON

Realizes That There Is to Be a Fight in Ohio This Fall.

Washington, July 12.—Ex-Congressman Thompson, of Portsmouth, who is here arranging quarters for the commission to codify United States criminal laws, expects to spend most of the summer in Ohio, and he will take part as usual in the campaign. "I think the Republicans are certain to carry the state," he said, "but if our people imagine the Democrats are not going to give us a hard fight they are mistaken. My idea is that the Democrats are preparing for a desperate battle."

To the Bottom.

In looking around, with a view to giving a special list of prices for the week, we are puzzled to know what to mention, as every article in our store is marked as low as the lowest item in any of the specials of our competitors, and instead of giving a special list, would say, if you have not been to our store, ask your neighbor about our prices, the quality of our goods, etc.

Our trade grows steadily, last Saturday's sales having exceeded any previous day's sales that we have yet had by a large per cent.

H. E. LANGDON & CO.,
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Kick on the Loafers.

Complaint has been made against a crowd of men and boys who loaf all day on Sunday on the corner of Eleventh and Findlay streets. The noise, improper language used and their general boisterous conduct has become tiresome to those who live in the neighborhood, and if not stopped the matter will be referred to the police.

We have 40,000 bushels of the best grades of river coal and want to get the cash out of it and will sell it for 6½ cents per bushel, cash.
10-25 J. M. STOCKHAM.

Says Ed Reed.

Ed. Reed says the finest baby that ever kicked arrived at his home Monday. Papa says she is all the coin, too, and he don't care whether his books get "keeped" today or not.

Baby carriages less than cost at J. E. Nichols, Jr., & Bro.'s.

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THE WEATHER PROPHET.

Ohio.—Fair tonight and Wednesday; stationary temperature.

PLEASANT TIME

Enjoyed by a Crowd of Young People at the Residence of Will Kirby Yesterday Evening.

The home of Mr. Will Kirby was the scene of a pleasant gathering of young people last evening. The house was decorated handsomely with flowers and was illuminated by numerous Japanese lanterns. The guests spent the evening very pleasantly at the card tables. Progressive euchre was the game and the prizes were won by Miss Jennie Kinsill and Newton Golden. After the games were concluded an hour was spent in dancing.

Those present were Messrs. Newton Golden, Will Kirby, Will Wamsor, Thomas Kennedy, Charles McDaniel, Arthur Garvin, and Misses Doris Bauer, Alma Garvin, Grace Kirby, Carrie Fryor, Jennie Kinsel and Anna Busel.

HUNGRY THIEVES

Carried Off a Lot of Ham and Meat From the Store of Philip Babst Last Night.

The store of Philip Babst, located about a mile north of the city, on the Chillicothe pike, was entered by thieves last night. They broke into the warehouse connected with the store, effecting an entrance through the window. They were hungry mortals evidently, and contented themselves with carrying off a number of pieces of side-meat, a ham, etc. Mr. Babst discovered his loss early this morning, when he opened up. He at once came to town and notified Marshal Schmitt. The latter went out to the scene of the robbery and made a thorough examination. He found several clues and is of the opinion that it is the handiwork of local thieves. The marshal expects to land them in a day or two.

SEVEN GOOD REASONS

Why We Should Drink Portsmouth Beer.

1. Because it is as good and pure as any beer made in the United States.
2. Because it invigorates the system in hot weather.
3. Because it never causes a headache.
4. Because it comes fresh from the cellars.
5. Because the money you spend for the same remains in our city.
6. Because the more workingmen we employ in our city the better for all of us.
7. Because home enterprise should be encouraged by every citizen of our city. 7-6t

Bitten by a Rattler.

The sixteen-year-old daughter of William Walker, of Clay township, was out on the hillside near the house picking huckleberries yesterday morning, when a large rattlesnake, which was lying coiled up near a clump of bushes, struck the young lady between the eyes. Dr. Halderman was summoned. The usual antidotes were given and the danger seems to be overcome.

Ohio Lawyers Will Meet.

The eighteenth annual meeting of the Ohio State Bar association will be held at Put-in-Bay, July 20th, 21st, 22d and 23d. Among the speakers on the program are Hon. Geo. K. Nash, of Columbus; Hon Jno. A. McMahen, of Dayton; Hon. Lawrence Maxwell, of Cincinnatti, and Hon. F. E. Hubelnus, of Warren.

Fifty cent parasols at 35 cents; 75 cent parasols at 55 cents; $1.00 parasols at 75 cents; $1.25 parasols at 95 cents; $1 35 parasols at $1.05; $1.50 parasols at $1.20; $1.75 parasols at $1.40; $2.00 parasols at $1.50; $2.50 parasols at $1.75; $3.00 parasols at $2.25; $3.50 parasols at $2.50; $5.00 parasols at $3.75.

MARTING BROS. & CO.

Kessler's New Job.

Leopold Kessler, Jr., one of the expert drink mixers of the city, is now holding forth behind the bar of his father's sale [illegible]. He went to work [illegible].

BLACKBERRIES.

Leave orders at [illegible]

A Birthday Party.

Ralph Stroh[illegible], son of [illegible], is nine years old today. In honor of the event a lawn party will be given at the residence of Mr. Stroh from four until nine o'clock this afternoon.

July Bargain Sales

Begin Tomorrow.

Come early to get some of the great bargains offered in all departments. We place before the public some rare values, such that will make our Mid-summer Sale the largest we have ever had.

White Goods Department.

Some great bargains in this department.
Checked Nainsooks and Dimities worth 12½c, go for 5c a yard.
Plain White India Linens, regular 10c, 12½c, 15c and 18c qualities at 5, 8⅓, 10 and 12½c a yard.

Wash Fabrics.

We have nipped off all profit and part of the cost on these pretty '97 Fabrics.
Good Printed Lawns, fast colors, new styles, choice goods, worth 7c, to close 3½c a yard.
We place on sale our 10c quality Lawns and Dimities, neat figures at 6c a yard.
Fine Dimities and Lawns sold all season at 12½c, to close at 7c a yard.
15c fine Dimities, all the latest colorings, to close at 8⅓c a yard.
Lappet Mulls, the prettiest goods of the season, to close at 10c a yard.
French Dimities, fine imported Dimities that sold at 20c a yard, to close at 12½c a yard.

Muslins and Sheetings.

Unbleached Muslin, full yard wide, 5c quality, sale price 4c a yard.
Unbleached Muslin, full yard wide that sells the city over at 6c a yard, sale price 4½c a yard.
Bleached Muslin, full yard wide, no dressing, worth 7c a yard, sale price 5c a yard.
Pepperell Bleached 10-4 Sheeting 20c a yard.
Pepperell Bleached 9-4 Sheeting 18c a yard.
Pepperell Unbleached 10-4 Sheeting 18c a yd.
Pepperell Unbleached 9-4 Sheeting 17c a yd.

Big Drive in Cheviots.

6c Cheviot, good quality, 4c a yd.
7c Cheviot, good quality, 5c a yd.

Table Linens.

52 inch Red Table Damash that usually sold at 20c a yard, sale price 15c a yd.
54 inch Red Table Damask, fast colors at 20c yd.
58 inch Table Damask, colors Red, Tan and Red and Green, worth 35c a yd., sale price 25c a yd.
60 inch Renfrew Patterns in Blue, Tan, Green and Red' the latest novelties in Table Linen, worth 50c a yd., sale price 30c a yd.

Remnants.

Remnants in Calicoes at 3c a yd.
Remnants in Percales, full yard wide, 5c yd.
Remnants in Wash Goods 5c yd.

Silk Ribbons.

We have just received today 700 yards Silk Ribbons in 25 styles, including Fancy Stripe Moire, Taffetas, Roman Stripe Taffetas, new shades, Green, Violet, Red, Blue Pink, Lavender, the most complete assortment we have ever carried at 18c, 20c, 25c and 30c a yd.

Hosiery.

Big bargains in our Hosiery Department.
Ladies' Fast Black Hosiery, seamless at 5c pair.
Ladies' Fast Black Hosiery, seamless, 12½c quality sale price 3 pair for 25c.
Men's Half Hose, 8⅓c quality at 5c pr.
Men's Half Hose, 10c quality at 8⅓c pr.

Parasols.

Down goes the price.
Ladies' Plain White Silk Parasols at 90c each.
Figured and Striped Silk Parasols, quality $1.60 to close $1.25 each.

Percales.

36 inch Percale, usually sold at 12½c, 8⅓c yd.
32 inch Percale, usually sold at 10c, 7c yd.
36 inch Percale, usually sold at 8⅓c, sale price 6½c.

Men's Black Percale Shirt, full size, the best shirt in the market today that sells at 50c, sale price 25c each.

Men's White Shirts with colored bosoms, all the leading shades that sells everywhere for 75c, sale price 47c each.

Fans.

How about our line of Fans? There is no use of being warm when we are giving them away.
500 Fans that sell at 3c, sale price 0c
5c Fans sale price 2 for 5c.
8c Fans sale price 5c.
10c Fans sale price 8c.
15c Fans sale price 10c.
18c Fans sale price 12c.
20c Fans sale price 15c.

Checked Crashes, fast colors, that sell at 5c, our price 3c a yd.
Checked Linen Crashes that sold at 8⅓c yd., sale price 5c a yd.

Extra fine quality in fine Val Laces at 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5c a yard.

Summer Corsets.

We are offering extra good bargains in Ventilating Corsets at 25c, worth 50c.

STEAHLY BROS.,

313 Chillicothe St. Between Third and Fourth.

Second Week

Anderson's July Sale,

The past week has been a very busy one at our store and the many who have taken advantage of the bargains have gone home to replenish their purses to return again. Never before have we made such deep cuts on summer dress goods. Now is the time to dress cool for little money. You who have not been here come this week and see the many special bargains.

Table Linens

50c quality for 45c
60c quality for..........55c
2 yd. wide table damask, usually sold for $1.........69c
$1 quality..............90c
$1.50 quality..........$1 35

Shirt Waists,

1 lot of 50c waists and odd lots higher grades.......39c
Any $1 waist goes for....75c
Any $1 50 or $2 waist for $1.00
Any $2 50 or $3 waist for $1.50

Silk Waists

$6 50 silk waists, black or colored, sale price......$4.50
$5 silk waists, black or colored, sale price......$3 50
$3 plain black China silk sale price..............$2.39

Dimities

1 lot dimities regular price 12½c, sale price.. 8⅓c
1 lot of dimities only a few pieces left, white ground, small black and blue figures, 20c goods sale price............ 15c

Percales

1 lot of yard wide percales regular price 12½c sale price................. 8⅓c

6c Lancaster and Amoskeg ginghams........ 4½c
100 cloth bound books, gilt tops, by popular authors, sale price....... 19c
50 summer corsets, sale price................. 39c
Just received about 25 doz. new and stylish wrappers, to sell at $1 and $1.25, light and dark styles.
$2.50 linen skirts......$2.00

G. W. ANDERSON & SONS,

Damarin Bock.

OUR GREAT

MARK-DOWN SALE....

Is now in full blast. A great many people took advantage of this opportunity to buy summer goods at greatly reduced prices, last week, but we expect to do even more business this week, now that the weather is more favorable for people to get out. Remember that this reduction in price is on all summer goods and light weight goods, known as staple goods. Also all broken lots and odd sizes, and all razor toes of every description. You need the shoes—we want the money. Note the reduction in prices given below.

	Were	Now.
Ladies' green and chocolate kid oxfords coin toes, all sizes and widths	$2 50	$2 21
Ladies' chocolate and ox-blood kid oxfords coin toes, all sizes and widths	2 00	1 74
Ladies' Chocolate kid oxfords razor toes, all sizes and widths	2 00	1 65
Ladies' chocolate and ox blood kid oxfords coin toes, all sizes and widths	1 50	1 35
Ladies' tan oxfords needle toes, all sizes	1 50	87
Ladies' ox-blood oxfords coin toes all sizes	1 00	85
Ladies' ox-blood oxfords opera toes all sizes	75	65
Ladies' dongola kid oxfords, coin toes, all sizes and widths	2 50	2 21
Ladies' dongola kid Prince Albert and oxford coin toes, all sizes and widths	2 00	1 74
Ladies' dongola kid oxgords razor toes, all sizes and widths	2 00	1 65
Ladies' dongola kid oxfords square and needle toes, all sizes and widths	2 00	1 24
Ladies' dongola kid oxfords razor toes all sizes	1 50	1 19
Ladies' dongola kid oxfords needle and opera toes, all sizes	1 25	89
Ladies' dongola kid oxfords needle toes all sizes	75	65
Misses dongola kid tan sandals sizes 11 to 2	1 00	89
Child's dongola tan sandals sizes 5 to 8	75	60
Ladies' green, chocolate and ox-blood kid lace coin and razor toes all sizes and widths	3 00	2 65
Ladies' chocolate and ox-blood kid lace coin and razor toes, all sizes and widths	2 50	2 24
Ladies' chocolate and ox-blood kid lace coin toes, all sizes and widths	2 00	1 87
Ladies' chocolate lace coin toes all sizes and widths	1 50	1 35
Ladies' ox-blood lace coin toes, all sizes and widths	1 50	1 24
Ladies' ox-blood lace coin toes all sizes and widths	1 00	89
Ladies' dongola kid button and lace welts and turns, razor, needle and opera toes, all sizes and widths	3 00	2 24
Ladies' dongola kid button and lace, all style toes, all sizes	2 00	1 87
Ladies' dongola kid button and lace, all style toes, all sizes	1 50	1 35
Ladies' dongola kid button and lace, all style toes, all sizes	1 25	1 15
Ladies' dongola kid button and lace, all style toes, all sizes	1 00	89
Men's chocolate, green and ox blood lace, in Russia and kid stock, all sizes	4 00	3 40
Men's chocolate and ox blood lace, in Russia and kid stock, all sizes	3 00	2 65
Men's chocolate lace, all sizes	2 00	1 87
Men's light weight calf lace, razor toes, all sizes	4 00	3 00
Men's light weight calf lace, razor toes, all sizes	3 00	2 50
Men's satin calf lace and congress, all styles and sizes	2 00	1 87
Men's satin calf lace and congress, all styles and sizes	1 50	1 35
Men's buff lace and congress, all styles and sizes	1 25	1 15
Men's buff and veal calf lace and congress, all sizes, good values		65
Men's veal calf Creedmore and Creoles, good values		65
Men's kip and oil grain Creedmore and Creoles	1 50	1 35
Boys' buff and veal calf lace, good values		65

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